

JURY HEARS ARGUMENT OF STATE AND DEFENSE IN HOOVER MURDER CASE

Prosecuting Attorney Good Bitterly Arraigns the Defense.

CASE GOES TO JURY WEDNESDAY NOON

O. W. Kerns for the Defense, Argues for Hoover This Afternoon.

Van Wert, O., April 15.—(Special)—Attorney Kerns for the defense, opened his arguments this afternoon, when court convened. Indications are that the entire afternoon will be consumed in his speech. He is making a strong plea for the life of his client, bringing to bear forcibly that in no way has the state dispelled the reasonable doubt that existed when the trial was begun.

He is making a strong plea, on the one hand, for his client, as the state made this morning for their case, and against the prisoner. The tomorrow's sun will sink in the horizon, the jury will be deliberating for the fate which will be handed out to young Ralph Hoover.

The defense, late Monday afternoon, in rebuttal evidence, called to the stand Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johns, who had testified that from their home they could see the windows of the Hoover residence and that the blinds were drawn, upon the particular day of the murder. The defense is battling down the testimony of these two people, proving conclusively that from their home, the Hoover residence could not be discerned. Interest in the case is not lagging and the court room is as crowded as when the trial was first begun.

The state exercised the right of rebuttal testimony and called to the stand again Dr. Ellis, Dr. Lawrence and Dr. Morgan. Dr. P. I. Good, who was called, testified that the bullets permeated both lobes of the cerebellum. "The state frequently referred to the testimony of these physicians before the grand jury and tried to prove they had garbled their stories."

This morning the arguments in the case were begun. Judge E. S. Matthias, who is presiding in the case, set a time limit for the arguments. In fact, he agreed to allow the attorneys as much time to go into the merits of the case as they desired.

Judge Matthias, in a brief way, charged the jury with what they must include as evidence and what they must exclude. Judge Matthias indicated in no uncertain terms that incriminating testimony could not be considered, thus referring to the question asked the jury by her mother, as to who shot her. Judge Matthias has all along, refused to allow admission of this testimony and he charged the jury firmly this morning as to what must be included. This is a strong point in favor of the defense.

Prosecutor Good then took up the arguments for the state. He followed through every sentence of his long talk of several hours by speculators, who sat breathless, to catch every word. He bitterly denounced young Hoover, laying to his door the downfall of the young girl, bringing out in forcible terms the circumstances which made their marriage necessary and engendered the ugly feeling on the part of the families, who were friends and neighbors previously and the hardness of the young man, in his calm, cool demeanor all through the trial and even following the shooting of the girl.

He denounced Hoover's attorneys, claiming that they first took up the theory that a strange man had shot the young wife and when there seemed no tangible cause upon which to base their theory, they had drifted smoothly to the suicide theory. Prosecutor Good said it was any theory just so as to pull their client through and get him out of the dilemma into which he had gotten himself. His argument was an appealing bit of oratory, under which young Hoover sat with the same cool spirit which has characterized his demeanor throughout the trial.

About the court room, just before the dinner hour, after the state had concluded its arguments, it was freely asserted that the defense would make no argument, contrary to all precedents as set in criminal cases and especially, where the life of their client is at stake.

The case has occupied more than two weeks, during which time about fifty witnesses have testified. The testimony introduced shows that the case has no parallel in Van Wert county court records. Instead of being able to unravel the tale, it seems like the mystery surrounding the case grows even more deeper.

county, but those of other cities and towns, were equally interested in the line of testimony introduced and the method of procedure.

The cost to Van Wert county of maintaining the jury, also reaching a high amount. Not for a long time has a trial in Van Wert reached the proportions, so far as money is concerned, the Hoover case will run.

MAKING CAPITAL OF THE MURDER OF CUBAN POLITICIAN

Havana, April 15.—Feeling over the assassination, yesterday of Chichi Fernandez, the liberal politician, continued to run high today. The liberals are doing their utmost to make political capital out of the crime declaring that the administration is responsible for it and renewing their demands for the dismissal of Major General Jose J. Montenegro, commander-in-chief of the army. During the last election Montenegro was accused of using the regular troops and rural guards to intimidate liberal voters. The liberals insist that if their demands are not met, their only resource is to start a revolution.

Cienfuegos is quiet, owing to the arrival of considerable detachments of troops.

OIL TOPS OLD PRICE

Two Cent Raise This Morning Sets New Record for Lima.

OLD RECORD MADE NINE YEARS AGO.

One-Dollar-Thirty-nine Per Barrel Highest Ever for North Lima.

Oil has gone up higher. In fact the price that was given the quotations for the product of the local and nearby fields at the local offices this morning puts the price at a figure never before quoted. From the practical stationary point of some several days past, the boost came this morning, and today the old record stands a shattered memory. Two cents per barrel were tacked on by the powers that be, and the local markets again gasped. Those who would now have the crude product of the North Lima field must pay for it at the rate of one dollar and thirty-nine cents per barrel, and the South Lima and Indiana is bringing up a close second with one and thirty-four hundredths dollars.

It was in the winter of 1903. After an unprecedented ascension the price of the crude product of the North Lima field topped the market record with a one dollar thirty-eight cent price. Then a gradual sink was begun, and the record that was set at that time has stood intact since. This was a phenomenal place for the Lima oil quotations to reach, and those who know supposed that record would hold for a long time. It was destined to a career of but a little over eight years. The quotations of this former record price stood for twenty days. Dec. 9, 1903, the price went to one thirty-eight, and remained there till December 29, 1903. At this time, as always the price of the south Lima crude stood at even five cents on the barrel below that of the North Lima product. It therefore stood at a record quotation of one thirty-three. This morning the South Lima oil, topping the mark at one thirty-four, brought a new record into existence there.

The Wooster oil, the product of the small field in the eastern part of the state, marked a raise this morning and now stands at one dollar and ninety-one cents per barrel.

PATROL OF GUARDS HOPE TO PREVENT FURTHER DEATHS.

Mamaroneck, N. Y., April 15.—All southeastern Westchester county is being patrolled by armed guards and deputy sheriffs today to prevent a repetition of yesterday's strike riots in which one striker was killed and a deputy mortally wounded. Sheriff Doyle said this morning that he had the situation well in hand and expected no further outbreaks.

The strikers, mostly Italians, are affiliated with the "Lafayette" International Union of America, and demand increased pay and shorter hours. The movement is directed not only against road contractors and the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, but against the country estates of a number of millionaires where field forces are employed. Fifty employees on the estate of the late Whitelaw Reid have been called out and lesser numbers from other estates.

Three Cardinals Named as Successors to Pope Pius X



CARDINAL VANNUTELLI.

The names of three well known cardinals have been mentioned as possible successors to Pope Pius X. Cardinals Rampolla, Vannutelli and Falconio. None of these may be chosen, for on the death of Leo XIII, the cardinals most prominently mentioned as his successor failed to win sufficient votes among their fellows. Pope Pius was little thought of as a candidate.



CARDINAL RAMPOLLA.

Cardinal Rampolla was secretary of state with Leo XIII. Cardinal Vannutelli is an aged man, said to be the ablest now by infirmity for the office, though he was considered at the time Leo XIII. died.



CARDINAL FALCONIO.

Allegany, N. Y., 40 years ago, and while there took out his papers as an American citizen. Later he was transferred to Newfoundland, and later to St. Anthony's Church in Sullivan street, New York City. Returning to Rome he was held there, and later returned as papal delegate to the United States. Since he was elevated to a cardinalate by Pius X, he has been a very intimate friend of the head of the church.

RECOVERY OF POPE CHIEFLY IN HIS OWN HANDS

Rome, April 15.—Professor Enrico Marchisava, the pope's physician gave out the following statement today: "The illness of the pope is now taking its normal course. The patient was much better during the forenoon after his night's rest. He had a slight setback yesterday afternoon when his temperature rose slightly."

"If it is possible to induce Pope Pius to follow the orders of his medical advisers, the amelioration in his condition will bring with it a revival of strength."

"In other words the recovery of the pope is chiefly in his own hands. The pope is a most difficult patient to deal with. When apparently giving in to the recommendations of his physicians, the moment he feels slightly better, he insists on having his own way, saying 'I command here.'"

Clearing up of the weather today taken as a hopeful augury for the recovery of the pope. Father Paroline, the pope's nephew helped his uncle through his morning toilet today and gave him his breakfast. Father Paroline who has installed himself in a small room in the Vatican adjoining the pope's apartments declared this morning that the pope had suffered from only three coughing spells during the night and that the cough was much easier. The pulse he said was stronger and the respiration more regular.

When Professor Marchisava appeared the pope was so cheerful that he joked with the physicians and congratulated him on the realization of his prediction of recovery. Professor Marchisava answered "I will make another prediction. You will have a further relapse if you do not patiently fulfill the doctor's commands."

The pope insisted, however, that remaining in bed would make him nervous and Professor Marchisava permitted him to sit up in a chair for a few minutes while his bed was being made but would not allow him to walk.

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SPRINGFIELD DOCTOR FACING SERIOUS CHARGE OF POISONING HIS WIFE

WHY NOT TURN OVER ENTIRE COUNTRY TO MILITANT WOMEN?

Washington, April 15.—Anti-suffragists started today on what their leaders declared would be the greatest demonstration against woman suffrage that the country has yet seen.

"Drawing room meetings" will be numerous. Congress will be assailed and the week will end with two public meetings one on Friday night and the other the following evening. Women of national note in the crusade against enfranchisement for their sex will be among the speakers. Mrs. A. J. George, of Boston, organizing secretary of the Massachusetts association opposed to woman suffrage and Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, president of the national organization have taken control of the situation. Their program for the week includes a hearing before the senate woman suffrage committee Saturday, arrangements having been completed for their reception. The suffragists also will be heard on that day and will present their pleas after their opposing sisters have had their hearing.

YELLOW REPORTS OF 'PENNY-A-LINERS' HARMFUL TO OHIO.

Wooster, O., April 15.—The Ohio experiment station today gave out the following statement: "A statement has been circulated through the press of Ohio to the effect that an official of the Ohio experiment station had predicted the almost total ruination of the wheat crop of Ohio as a result of the recent flood."

"This statement is an absolute falsehood. No officer of the Ohio experiment station has made any such prediction. As the circulation of such falsehoods is injurious to the station, journals which give space to this contention will confer a favor which will be highly appreciated."

BITTER DOSE FOR USURERS

Salary Loan Law Held to be Constitutional in the State of Ohio.

LOAN SHARKS MUST SECURE A LICENSE

They Must Furnish a \$2,000 Bond and Charge Only 8 Per Cent.

Columbus, O., April 15.—The supreme court today upheld the salary loan law in a decision in the case of F. F. Cain against the People's Salary Loan Company. The defendant had contended the law, which passed at the session of the legislature two years ago, was unconstitutional.

Holds Attention of Many Ohio People in Vicinity Of the Crime.

MUCH EXPECTED OF EXPERT TESTIMONY

In Trial of Dr. Arthur B. Smith, Accused of Poisoning His Wife.

Springfield, O., April 15.—The trial of Dr. Arthur B. Smith for the murder of his wife, Florence Caviler Smith, by poisoning, began in the common pleas court here this morning with Judge F. H. Hagan presiding. In the court room were the witnesses, members of the special venire, and the lobby was filled with visitors, including a number of the leading society ladies of the city, friends of both the defendant and his former wife. With the announcement of the opening of court, the prisoner was brought in by Sheriff Steve Funderburg, accompanied by the leading counsel for defense, James B. Malone, and his assistant, John M. Cole. Prosecuting Attorney Ballard is assisted by Lawrence E. Laybourne, as special counsel for the state, Laybourne having been prosecuting attorney when the indictment was returned against Dr. Smith.

With a special venire of 36, 12 men were placed in the jury box and a wedding unit program began, which at noon left the venire exhausted. Of the jurors excused, 16 were challenged by the state on the grounds of being opposed to capital punishment, and three were excused on the challenge of the defense for reasons previously formed. In addition, the state challenged three of its 16 preliminary jurors, leaving 11 unquestioned jurors, who are to be examined. Two of the defense's challenges were used against P. S. Bradley, a prominent manufacturer and society man and Ray C. Johnson, business man and prominent socially. Both had been victims frequently of the Smith home and admitted profiting, and one admitted having talked to state witnesses, two of whom have been especially bitter, because of the fact that the defendant Arthur B. Smith, shortly after the death of his wife, became engaged to and married Miss Mabel Marchant, a nurse. The social connections of the former Mrs. Smith, the subsequent formation of opinions, and of other evidence, the prejudice against capital punishment, make it extremely difficult to secure a jury. With the first venire of 36 exhausted, court has adjourned until 2 o'clock when Clerk Snider will issue a special venire of 27.

The defendant sat alone in the court room throughout the morning session. He appears extremely nervous, but hopeful, and watches closely the face of each juror being examined, at times conferring with his counsel. Contrary to all expectations neither the defendant's aged mother, nor his young wife, appeared in the court room, and hundreds of sensation seekers were disappointed.

Springfield, O., April 15.—Interest is keen here as the trial of Dr. Arthur B. Smith, charged with causing the death of his first wife, Mrs. Florence Caviler Smith, by poisoning, opened in criminal court here this morning with Judge F. H. Hagan on the bench. Although on either side are medical experts, and apparently the outcome of the case hinges on their testimony.

The last preliminary step before the opening of the case for the selection of the jurors, was the filing of a request by the defense for the subpoenaing of twenty-three witnesses. This is the first move by the defense in their efforts to secure supporting testimony, although the state has already called more than forty witnesses. In the list of names are Dr. Ellis F. Schilling, pathologist at Grant hospital, Columbus, Dr. James R. Withrow, professor of chemistry at the Ohio State University, and O. S. Mack, a chemist in the state dairy and food commissioner's office, Columbus. The first two named resumed the defense at the neutral examination of the parts of the body of the dead Mrs. Smith and the last was the neutral expert who made the examination and analysis. The names of the other twenty witnesses have not yet been made public.

Thirty-six venturers made public their appearance at the court house at nine o'clock and with the opening of the heraldic band of selecting a jury was started. It is freely predicted that this venire will be exhausted before court adjourns this afternoon and it is expected it will be Friday or Saturday before twelve men are ready to try the case.

AMBULANCE TRIP.

D. Dunn was taken from the police station to the city hospital yesterday afternoon in the Whitley ambulance.

SUFFRAGETS DESTROY BEAUTIFUL MANSION IN ARSON CAMPAIGN

Hastings, Eng., April 15.—Militant suffragettes today destroyed the handsome seaside mansion at St. Leonard-on-sea, belonging to Arthur Philip du Cret, unionist member of parliament for Hastings. The women not only set fire to the house, but placed explosives in many of the rooms. The residence had only recently been vacated.

The women adopted a method often used by burglars for entering houses. They first spread papers covered with jam over the window so as to deaden the sound and then smashed the large panes of glass with hammers, the jam preventing the broken glass from falling.

As soon as the flames were noticed by a passerby the fire brigade was summoned. The firemen had barely begun their work when a series of explosions occurred.

One of the firemen was struck on the head by a piece of metal and seriously injured. A large quantity of suffragette literature was found in the vicinity.

Cut Tunnel Wires.

Bath, Eng., April 15.—Militant suffragettes cut all the telegraph

and telephone wires at the entrance to the Box tunnel on the Great Western railway near here this morning. Great inconvenience was caused to the train service.

Gun Powder Outrage.

London, April 15.—A milk can filled with gun-powder and connected with an electric fuse was found inside the railing surrounding the Bank of England. It was removed by the police.

Smoke was issuing from the can when a policeman found it. He plunged it into a fountain in the vicinity.

The can was examined a clock work arrangement was found inside.

The attempt on the bank is attributed to the militant suffragettes in some quarters.

Believe Annie Insane.

London, April 15.—Annie Ball, the suffragette sentinel who was arrested outside Holloway jail during the imprisonment of Mrs. Pankhurst for carrying a revolver, was brought up again in police court today and further remained without bail in order that a physician may make a report as to her mental state. The police magistrate said he believed her insane.

DENVER CHIEF-OF-POLICE WILL JAIL EVERY MAN WHO LOOKS LIKE AN I.W.W.

Denver, Colo., April 15.—The supply of patrol wagons from the Denver police department proved inadequate to convey to the jail all of the Industrial Workers of the World, arrested on the outskirts of the city last night, and Chief of Police O'Neill pressed a passenger train into service. When nearly 100 Industrial Workers, sighted from a freight train upon reaching the intersecting boundaries of Englewood, Petersburg and Denver, they were met by two detachments of 25 patrolmen. A passenger train was flagged and the prisoners crowded into a car from which the passengers were advised to move.

In this fashion police and prisoners reached the city terminal where a special street car awaited and took them to the county jail.

"I intend to jail every man who even looks like an Industrial Worker of the World in this town," declared Chief O'Neill.

"These men have been telling that they are going to do to the Denver police, but I will show them just how tight every cell in this city can be packed and stuffed with their unwashed bodies. There won't be any overflow of prisoners and all of these fellows who came here can expect instant treatment."

"There isn't going to be any repetition of the San Diego affair here. We are in control of the situation and will continue to be."

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IN MORGAN'S MEMORY.

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PILGRIMAGE TO OLDER COUNTRIES FOR INFORMATION.

Washington, April 15.—Final arrangements were made today for the departure for Europe of the American commission on agricultural cooperation which is to investigate rural credit and banking systems. The commission will sail April 16 and will visit fourteen European countries.

President Wilson will bid the members farewell at the White House, April 24. On the following day the members will leave for New York accompanied by Secretary of Agriculture Houston to attend a banquet given in their honor that night at which Walter H. Page the newly appointed ambassador to the court of St. James will be among the guests. Secretary of State Bryan has tentatively accepted an invitation to be present also. Accompanied by Frank Page, son of the new ambassador to Great Britain, the commission sails from New York for Europe the day following the banquet. Frank Page will accompany the commission during its entire European tour. The commission is expected to be absent from the United States for several months.

BOARD GETS THREE BIDS

For Contract for Heating
and Ventilating the
High School.

PLANT WILL BE
INSTALLED THERE

Bond Issue for Addition to
Building Receives
Comment.

At a special meeting of the board of education that was held in the offices of the board at the high school building, this afternoon the bids for the installing of the heating and ventilating plant in the enlarged high school building were received and opened. At this time no bids were accepted nor was any contract made. This was postponed until a later time, that all members of the board might have ample opportunity to acquaint themselves with the various propositions that were submitted to them by the contractors.

A second meeting has been called for this evening at 8 o'clock in the office of the board at the high school building, at which time the discussion of the various bids will be taken up, and a careful and thorough investigation of the merits of each will be conducted. All of the plans will be considered, and it is quite likely that the end of the meeting will see a contract awarded to one or another of the three competing contractors.

At the present time it is almost impossible for anyone to make a reasonable and just comparison of the propositions that were made to the board by the three firms who are desirous of doing the work. Each of the firms were required to furnish their own plan of installing their plant and as no two of these are alike, and as the equipment and work that each specifies and includes in their bid is different from that of their competitors, it is not fair to make a comparison. The money considerations of the three bids were \$7,781, \$8,366, and \$10,940.

After the receipt of the bids this afternoon, the board adjourned until this evening at 8 o'clock, at which time the plans were taken to the office of the clerk of the board where the entire afternoon was devoted to the consideration of the plans, what they incorporated, and the respective prices. It is hoped that by evening they will be sufficiently conversant with the provisions of all to deal with them in a competent manner. At the meeting this evening it is the hope of the board to give the representative of each of the competing firms an opportunity to address the meeting, and to explain the bids and the plans, the special advantages and the intrinsic points of the proposal made by his company.

The meeting that will be held this evening is a special meeting called for the consideration of the heating and ventilating plant that will be installed in the high school building and the plans and specifications that have been submitted along with the bids, by the competing firms. It is not thought that any other matters will come up for settlement or even for serious consideration at this meeting.

The school board at the present time has under very serious consideration the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of about fifty thousand dollars, that a sum of money might be provided for the building of the proposed wing on the west end of the building. This proposition has been offered as a solution for the question of how to meet the demands of the rapidly growing school. More room is needed at the high school with the present courses, notwithstanding the addition that is being built on the east end.

Add to this the proposition that is being urged by a great many people, and indeed very justly as well, for the establishment of a more complete course in domestic science. It is proposed to train the girls in the many things so essential to the proper conduct of a house. At the present time a very creditable course is being given to those of the young men who desire it, in manual training. At the same time the course that is offered to the girls in their half of the equation, namely in domestic science, is very small.

It has been proposed that this course be instituted, and that the wing, for which plans and specifications have been received, at the time that for the east end improvement now in process of construction, were procured. To build this other end of the building will require an outlay of well-nigh forty thousand dollars. The source for this money has until the present time been the drawback. Now the bond issue proposition comes along, and is meeting with great favor.

It was the prevalent opinion that the permission to make a bond sale for an emergency purpose, without the vote of the people of the district in an election, was taken away with the passage of the Smith 10 percent tax law and the contemporaneous revoking of some laws and statutes. This is apparently erroneous, according to the present belief of the board. Their opinion is based on the recent sale of bonds, entirely unhindered, by a neighboring town and under very similar conditions, namely, by their own authority and without an election giving the sanction of the people.

Another bond issue. The statute under which the proposed issue is to be made will give the Lima bond privilege to issue bonds to the amount of about \$60,000, should they so desire. The statute reads that this levy can be made, but in rate to the tax duplicate. That an issue of bonds to the extent of two mills on every dollar that is shown on the duplicate can be made. This in other words, equals one-half of one per cent. The increase in the rating of the taxable property which came with the passage of the Smith one per cent law, gives the board a much larger amount of money that it will be allowed to obtain through bonds so issued. It is this one point which caused the anxiety in regard to the present validity of the law.

The issue of these bonds, though increasing the indebtedness of the school district, would not make a burdensome increase, and would add to a debt that is even now remarkably small. It has been estimated by Superintendent Davidson that the present debt of the district is but \$380,000. When it is taken into consideration that the present school property in this district totals a valuation of more than one million dollars, and that the far greater part of this is the result of the work of the present and the past generations, the comparatively small figures of the debt becomes apparent. It was estimated by Mr. Davidson today that during the time that he has been in charge of the Lima schools, that there has been about \$200,000 actually paid out in the support of the schools and in their equipment and repair.

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RADIUM AS ELIXIR OF LIFE.

Berlin-Doctor Asserts That It Restores
Hardened Arteries.

The claim that radium can restore the hardened arteries of middle aged persons to a healthy condition and so prolong life was made by Dr. Saubermann of Berlin in a lecture in London before the Hoenigson Society recently.

If the theory is correct it will be possible for a few dollars to buy a radium apparatus which will manufacture an elixir of youth.

The apparatus consists of an earthenware receptacle containing a minute amount of radium, which is placed at the bottom of a glass bottle. The bottle is filled with water. In the course of time the water becomes charged with radium emanations.

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NEW PROCESS TO MAKE STEEL

Industry to Be Revolutionized, Says
London Report.

The steel industry will be revolutionized if the claims of a recently invented process of manufacturing it prove to be true. According to the announcement, a process has been discovered for converting iron ore of any grade, including the heretofore useless iron sands, into steel of the best quality. The feature of the new process is that blast furnaces will be done away with, thus saving enormous fuel bills.

WIRELESS CAUSES DISEASE.

German Physicians Discover a New
Ailment.

To the list of ailments of modern life that bring new diseases is now added radiotelegraphy. The German physicians who have just discovered the disease call it wireless sickness. It consists of anemia with a marked diminution in the number of red corpuscles in the blood. The doctors ascribe it partly to the unhealthy surroundings of wireless operators, who generally work in tiny rooms, and partly to the overexhaustion of the air they breathe by reason of the alternating currents used to generate the waves.

REALIZES BIG YIELD

Cupid Adds Two More Cou-
ples to Spring Harvest of
Wedded Ones.

LIMA GIRL WEDS A
SOLDIER MAN OF WEST

St. John's Catholic Church
is Scene of Pretty
Service.

Miss Marie Dalton, daughter of Mrs. William E. Dalton, of 1122 Hughes avenue, was married last evening to Herbert Marcus, sergeant in the United States army and stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Rev. W. W. Constable, pastor of the Second Street Methodist church, was the officiating clergyman. The couple were attended by Miss Rose McCreston and Arthur Gerstenlauer. The couple left, following the ceremony, for Fort Leavenworth, where they will reside.

The acquaintance had its inception from a little note which the bridegroom of last evening brought from the train when he was being transported through Lima with a body of soldiers. The young man has since called at the Dalton home. The two years of courtship by mail only served to more thoroughly cement the friendship and the wedding was planned, after Sergeant Marcus arrived in Lima, Sunday.

PERSONALS.

Miss Susie Schumacher and Eldon Geiger, of Pandora, spent yesterday with Lima friends. Mr. Geiger is the well-known baritone soloist, who has just finished a five years' course at Oberlin and who next year, will spend one day in the week as supervisor of music in the Bluffton schools and two days of the week in the Pandora schools. He will also have organized classes in music. Miss Schumacher is a member of the large chorus which Mr. Geiger directs.

Frank Wickham, former Lima newspaper man, and lately one of the proprietors of the Mansfield Shield, is in this city for a short visit with his daughter.

Mr. J. J. Ewing, former hardware merchant of this city, is visiting old friends and business associates here for several days.

Mrs. "Sue Henry" Haum, of Wapakoneta, and Miss Shannon are guests in Lima for several days. Dr. Virginia H. McKnight of Fair Haven, N. Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Holmes of 668 West Market street.



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DAYTON HOLDS GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBLE.

Washington, April 15.—On behalf of the city of Dayton, a petition declaring the recent flood was caused largely by the failure of the federal government to properly protect the channel of the Miami river against the encroachment of bridge piers and other obstructions, was presented today by Senator Pomeroy.

"The city of Dayton feels that the federal government should in part, bear the great loss that has fallen on the people of that city," said Senator Pomeroy. "While the cause of the flood was primarily the heavy rainfall, the secondary cause was the obstruction of the channel of the river by bridge piers and abutments."

The petition was referred to a committee without immediate action.

HOW MR. DANIELS MADE FIRST INSPECTION OF GREAT FLEET

Secretary of Navy and Other
Cabinet Members
Have Thrills.

They Hear Guns Roar For
Twenty Minutes and
Have Eyes Opened.

JOSEPHUS DANIELS, secretary of the navy, had the first look at his ships recently at the southern drill grounds, Old Point Comfort, Va. He slept on board the flagship Wyoming with a high opinion of the magnitude of his new job and a much better idea of just what he is secretary of than he ever thought was possible.

Not only has Mr. Daniels been to sea, but he has been in battle. For twenty minutes he stood up under the terrific yellow blast from the Wyoming's twelve twelve-inch guns and watched the white geysers as the shells ricocheted around the target nearly six miles away. He admitted that the firing, while it closed his ears, opened his eyes to the magnitude and efficiency of the United States navy. It is suspected that Mr. Daniels is a "big navy" man or will be.

Even Postmaster General Burleson, who was one of the chief opponents of a large navy when in congress, is beginning to think things over, and the officers of the fleet are well pleased with the day's work. Mr. Daniels is not the kind of secretary of the navy the men of the service are used to. The Wyoming carries an imposing battery of twelve twelve-inch rifles, but not twice this number fired in a single salvo could make Mr. Daniels wear a high hat. He salutes the flag like an American citizen and shakes hands like a grownup man, but he calls the starboard side of a ship the right and refers to the bow as the front, yet no one thought to criticize him for that. He seems to belong on board just the same.

Guns Roar Welcome.

The secretary came over the side of the Wyoming as she lay in Lynnhaven Roads at half past 8 o'clock in the morning. He wore a long cutaway coat, the same striped trousers he wore at Democratic headquarters last fall and a small gray cap pulled well down on his forehead. He dragged the cap off as he was handed aboard by Captain Frederick L. Chapin of the Wyoming and received by Rear Admiral Charles J. Badger, commander in chief of the fleet, and his staff. He put out his hand and said "Hello!" Rear Admiral Badger had a nice little speech prepared, but he cut it down to "Hello, Mr. Secretary," and then the guns roared out their nineteen-gun greeting. The ceremonies were over.

Behind Mr. Daniels came Secretaries McAdoo, Wilson, Houston and Lane, Postmaster General Burleson, Secretary McAdoo's two young sons and Robert Martin, his secretary. Rear Admiral N. C. Twining and Rear Admiral Bradley C. Fiske. By this time the salute was finished, and Mr. Daniels put his cap back on his head and started in to see just what there is to the navy.

When Secretary Daniels left the Dolphin, on board which he went down to the capes from Washington, the women of the party, who included Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Burleson, Miss Nina McAdoo, Miss Eleanor Wilson, Mrs. W. B. Wilson and Miss Bones, left the Dolphin on board another cutter and were taken aboard the Idaho, which followed the firing ships. The secretary thought it best for the women to be aboard a ship which was not going to fire, but would witness the firing from a safe distance.

The battleships got under way for the drill grounds immediately, the Wyoming leading, followed by the Florida, the North Carolina and the Idaho. Five miles off the cape the Delaware, which had just come down from the Boston navy yard, was sighted and turned into the column, a poor fourth.

Mr. Daniels Surprised.

Secretary Daniels' party took to the bridge to watch the work of navigation. Later they inspected the engine room, the quarters, fire rooms, bunkers and other parts of the ship. Mr. Daniels was surprised.

YOUNG EDISON AN INVENTOR.

He Designs Bomb For Hostile Ships,
but It Acts Shabbily.

Theodore Edison, the fourteen-year-old son of Thomas A. Edison, was recently experimenting with explosives recently in an effort to invent a bomb that would float about on the water and explode with tremendous effect whenever it happened to be touched by a hostile vessel. Friendly vessels would, of course, avoid touching the bomb.

Theodore's mind the best way to shape up an air tight bottle and put it in an air tight bottle and so that it would be sure not to sink. He had proceeded as far as mixing the explosive and depositing it in the glass bottle when the explosion went off. The explosion had penetrated the hand. The boy is not going to suffer permanently from his wounds, but Mrs. Edison has decreed that his future experiments with explosives shall be under the supervision of his father.

was plainly surprised at what he saw and said so.

"I'm a two battleship man, Mr. Secretary," said Secretary McAdoo after the party had been at sea for half an hour. "Well, it's a beautiful ship," replied the secretary of the navy. "I still think I was right," said Mr. Burleson. "We've been going ahead too fast. Still, as you say, it's a magnificent ship. Let's see how many have we like this."

"One other," answered Lieutenant Commander Leigh C. Palmer, naval aide to the secretary. "Only one," said Mr. Daniels. "Well, well!"

The targets, three of them in tow of the Connecticut, the South Carolina and the Minnesota, were sighted on the hazy southern horizon a few minutes after 12 o'clock. The big battleships towing them were barely distinguishable, and the targets themselves looked like pinholes in a blanket.

Marksmanship Improving.

"I understand you hit those things about once out of ten times," said Mr. Daniels. "We used to," replied Commander Carl T. Vogelgesang, "but we do better now." Commander Charles F. Hughes, chief of staff, and Pay Inspector Samuel McGowan began to pass around wads of cotton, and members of the party stuffed their ears. The firing was deferred, however, for after the Wyoming had come about twice to get the proper range a tramp steamship stood in between the battleships, and the Wyoming slowed down for half an hour until the intruder was safely out of the way.

Secretary Daniels and his party climbed up to the searchlight platform, just above the bridge, as the turrets swung to starboard, and the great muzzles rose menacingly. Everybody was in tense expectancy. Mr. Daniels set one of the rods of the basket mast and held fast. He was just in time, for one of the guns in the forward turret, which was fired to determine the range, let go with a terrific crash. The hot blast of the flame and yellow ether vapor struck the head of the navy full in the face, but he only pulled his cap down over his head and took a grip with both hands.

Gets a "Genuine Thrill."

The Wyoming after firing seventy-two shots lowered the red firing flag and steamed over to examine the target, and the North Dakota and the Florida, six and eight miles astern, repeated the performance on the other targets.

"I tell you," said Mr. Daniels when he descended from the platform, "there are several times in a man's life when he gets a genuine thrill—his first pair of red top boots his first top, his first girl and a time like this. You see, it's like this I'm secretary of the navy without knowing any more about it than the average country editor. So I'm going to make it a study. One of the mysteries to me is the wireless."

As he spoke Commander Hughes handed him a wireless message from F. D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy. "This is the second wireless message I ever received. I sent the first in my life this morning to my wife on board the Mayflower. The first I ever received was when she answered it half an hour later. It seems wonderful to me."

Later in the afternoon Lieutenant Byron McCandless, flag lieutenant, went over to the Idaho and brought the women of the party to the Wyoming, which took them back to Hampton Roads, and all the party except Secretary Daniels returned on board the Mayflower to Washington.

Mrs. Daniels and Miss Wilson were especially delighted with the ships. "I think we have a regular navy," Miss Wilson said. The Wyoming's band entertained the party with a concert on the after deck during the trip back.

With Secretary Daniels on board the Wyoming steamed to sea again and then acted as illumination ship for night torpedo practice.

BIG PLANE TO GUARD ENGLAND

Colonel Cody Designs Machine to Re-
pel Invasion.

Colonel S. F. Cody, the American air man, who has become a naturalized English subject, is preparing to build an airship destroyer, comparable with a torpedo boat destroyer, to protect England against possible invasion by foreign airships. He said recently:

"My idea is to have an airship destroyer in the same way as you have a torpedo destroyer at sea. I have ordered a machine of 500 horsepower. It is difficult to predict exactly what an aeroplane of that size will do, but I expect it to be capable of lifting and carrying 2,500 pounds. Its highest speed would be somewhere between seventy-five and ninety miles an hour. The machine to which the engine is to be fitted will be a Cody biplane of the same type as the one that gained the war office prize of \$25,000. It will be designed so as to be capable of guarding the air over England against invasion by foreign airships."

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NINE CASES DISMISSED

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APRIL COURT TERM
ASSIGNMENTS MADE

First Case Will Open April
21st and Last Case Will
Open June 9th.

The first case of the April term of common pleas court will be heard April 21 according to the assignments announced yesterday evening by Judge Klinger. The assignments extend until June 9 in all nine cases were dismissed by Judge Klinger yesterday.

The cases which were dismissed were Beatrice K. Russell vs. Byron S. Fogle, Lima Plumbing Company vs. T. B. Jones Company, J. M. Morgan, Clifford Wood et al., at plaintiff's cost; the Penn-Jones-Burden Company vs. Lewis and Rebecca Bunn at plaintiff's cost; John McOwen vs. Elizabeth McOwen, divorce, at plaintiff's cost; A. M. Musser vs. the Old National Bank and the Lima Implement Company, error at the cost of defendant; Temperance Bowman, the Metropolitan Bank of Lima vs. Sheridan Spellacy and Sibbie, at plaintiff's cost and George H. Meley vs. the city of Lima and the Andrews Asphalt paving Company, damages, failure to prosecute, at plaintiff's cost.

Judge Klinger sustained the action of J. H. Shook in naming Anton Miller, saloonist, at the southwest corner of the public square \$100 on a charge of being open Sunday, July 21, 1912. Judge Klinger stated that there might be some doubt as to Miller's guilt as justified by the record but that he would uphold the finding of the lower court because it was in a better position to judge.

In the case of the Avery Loeb Company against the Wentworth Dean Company and others for equitable relief, the demurrer to the petition was overruled and leave to file answer until April 26 granted.

The dates of assignment according to the records of the court stenographer are:

Assignment of Cases.

April 21—Hannah Popowsky vs. Peter Samman, Gdn., et al. C. H. Miller vs. The City of Lima; Bruce Geach vs. The State of Ohio; Orley Parks vs. Grover C. Akers; Imogene V. Lee vs. Fred G. Lee; Clarence Hawkins vs. George Vringos.

April 22—Elmer Vanschoyck vs. Jane M. Vanschoyck; Etta Lippert vs. H. C. Lippert; Eugene C. Eppley vs. Western Ohio Ry. Co. W. A. Carruthers vs. The City of Lima; Patterson & Moran Co. vs. Arkooli Vetcher, Joseph H. Hoyer, et al.; Amanda Bierline, et al.

April 23—James Patton vs. City of Lima; Charles Gossard, et al., vs. G. M. Sherry, et al.; Hildebrandt vs. John N. Huichler, et al.; Charles W. Dingeldine vs. The Ohio Electric Ry. Co.; Benjamin Huber vs. Jennie Pintole.

April 24—Thos. D. McLaughlin et al., vs. John W. Crooks, Thos. D. McLaughlin, et al., vs. Charles W. Wood, Dr. W. H. Lewis vs. Pennsylvania Co., John Kennedy vs. Chicago & Erie Railroad Co.; Frank E. Harman vs. Joel G. Hersh, Producers United Oil & Gas Co. vs. E. A. Coleman, et al.

April 26—Rufus S. McGinnis vs. Alexander Evans, et al.

April 29—J. L. Sellers vs. A. L. Burkholder, et al.

May 1—Schumacher Bros. vs. Turner W. Wall.

May 2—John Peterson vs. Patterson & Morgan.

May 5—Richard B. Keaton vs. State Life Insurance Co., Indianapolis.

May 6—Harry Stagner, et al., vs. J. C. Stagner.

May 9—State of Ohio, on complaint of Emma Hitt, vs. Ivan Riddle.

May 9—The State of Ohio ex rel. Dena King vs. Edmund Drolet.

May 12—Elizabeth Burkholder vs. John Stratton, et al.

May 13—Frank E. Parker vs. Frank Repogole.

May 14—Wm. A. Sanders vs. Crystal Ice & Coal Co.

May 16—George H. Hanner vs. Elizabeth Staples.

May 18—The Peabody Buggy Co. vs. Wm. F. Funk.

May 21—T. H. Young vs. The Power Manufacturing Co.

May 22—The Blakeslander Manufacturing Co. vs. Floyd C. Whitley.

May 23—Helen M. Parson vs. Kiziah C. Willie and Mary E. (Armstrong) Jameson.

May 26—Rosa Simoes vs. American Insurance Union.

May 27—C. L. Fess vs. R. R. Kennedy.

May 30—In the matter of the Estate of Benj. C. Faurot, deceased; Joshua M. Dawson, executor.

May 29—Martha A. Sibert vs. L. H. Rogers.

June 2—M. J. Limbaugh vs. The Western Ohio Ry. Co.

June 3—Peter Frederick vs. Miles-Tybe Cont. Co.

June 5—The C. D. Gregg Tea & Coffee Co. vs. The J. M. Seals Co.

June 9—Producers United Oil & Gas Co. vs. E. A. Coleman and F. M. Johnson.

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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, G. April 15—Forecast—Cloudy, and dark; fair in north portion tonight. Wednesday fair and rising temperature.

It is becoming more evident every day that when the history of the present legislature is written, it will be found it has enacted more progressive legislation than was ever enacted by any other general assembly in any state of the union.

GOOD ROADS LEGISLATION.

This year, for the first time since the Ohio good roads federation was organized for the purpose of securing a state-wide system of mud-proof highways, every measure introduced in the general assembly at the request of that organization has been placed in the program of a state administration.

All but two bills of the legislative program of the federation have passed both houses and are ready for the signature of the governor. The others have passed the house, and are in the senate, which body will undoubtedly act favorably on them. The following good roads measures need the governor's signature, only, to become laws, codification of the road laws, a revenue producing measure that will provide \$3,300,000 annually for market and inter-county roads and the re-enactment of the Garrett law so as to permit county commissioners and township trustees to co-operate in building roads. The two remaining bills of this program, which have been messaged from the house to the senate provide for the use of the split-log drag semi-annually and the adoption of the Portage county plan of road improvements. Under such a law, associations would be formed in counties to co-operate with the common-wealth in building and improving roads.

COAL MINERS' COMPENSATION.

The press bureau maintained by the state democratic executive committee in Columbus has sent out the following explanation regarding legislation respecting the system to be used in remunerating miners for the coal they dig from the earth:

"At the present time miners are paid for all of the coal they produce that does not fall through a screen, which the operators station at each mine. Senator Green introduced a bill to abolish the screens and to require the operators to pay on a run of mine basis—for all coal produced. Strong arguments were made for and against the measure. Not more than 2 per cent of the members of the general assembly were ever in a mine; the remainder knew nothing about the merits of the bill; they knew it would increase the cost of mining coal, but were unable to say how much; they knew it would probably increase the cost to the consumer, but they could not say what the rise would be; and at the same time they wanted the miners to be paid on a run of mine basis, that was fair and just. To get information as to the merits of the anti-screen bill, a resolution was adopted authorizing the appointment of a commission to investigate thoroughly the subject, and to report back findings to the general assembly."

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sembly. This is the course that always has been pursued when the state has been asked to interfere in the conduct of private business. Governor Cox has publicly announced that his call for the special session of the general assembly next winter will provide for the consideration of the report of this commission, which must conclude its labors before then.

"The present working contract of the United Mine Workers of Ohio with the operators will not expire until April 1914, so that the general assembly will be equipped with the facts that will enable it to act intelligently on this subject before next April. The Green bill would not have taken effect before that date had it been passed."

THE HUNGER STRIKE.

Does anybody doubt that the British government would make short work of a hunger strike among male offenders? If a man convicted of arson and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary were to refuse food, he would be forcibly fed even if the process broke down his health. Law is not supposed to be concerned with the vagaries and whims of convicts; at least, that is the theory upon which law is administered in every enlightened community all over the world. But under the British system, as the suffragettes have modified or distorted it, vagaries and whims are potent enough to secure suspension of punishment. In effect, the convicted suffragette says to society: "I demand equal privileges with men under the law governing the franchise, but I expect a special leniency because of my sex when I commit a felony." And society, as represented by the home secretary, replies: "Certainly, madam; you shall go free just as soon as you refuse to eat. Not for the world would a gallant British minister see a lady criminal starve to death."

If one of those militant females should put into execution the threat of murder made by a member of her crew at the conclusion of the Pankhurst trial we suspect that British justice would suddenly resume its inextinguishable habit of treating the sexes exactly alike. In the meantime it is significant that even those newspapers, whose business it is to sneeze when the government takes snuff, are insisting upon a sterner policy in dealing with petticoated law-breakers.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Big opportunities do not make big men; they only give big men a chance to show their bigness. The recent flood gave Governor Cox a chance to show his real size and he measured to a mighty height.

PUBLIC FORUM.

LIMA'S OPPORTUNITY.

To the Editor of Times-Democrat:

If there should appear in your news columns an item announcing that a great stable industrial establishment already employing five thousand men had decided to relocate in Lima for its permanent location and that it was proposed to start construction at once upon a plant sufficient for the employment of ten thousand men, we should all agree that it was the greatest thing that ever happened to Lima. The benefits would be plain to every man. There has occurred an event in Lima whose potential significance is greater than the supposed one just mentioned. I refer to the action taken by the city council Friday night when a movement was started for the reconstruction of Hjos Creek.

Lima suffered little in comparison with her neighboring cities during the recent floods. Several Ohio cities have experienced setbacks from which they will not soon recover; but notwithstanding their losses such is the Anglo-Saxon spirit that a new determination and a greater civic spirit will arise in the stricken cities whereby the ultimate results may be more of a blessing than a detriment to them. Nevertheless, the immediate problems of rehabilitation faced by the unfortunate cities are serious and fraught with tremendous difficulties. Lima finds herself in a position of almost did opportunity. Our advantages of location near the center of population of the United States; our transportation facilities; the ability of our business men; our abundant capital; our rich agricultural territory; and the abounding energy and thrift of our citizenship generally all point to the possibility of a city of a hundred thousand population within a generation.

But our possibilities will not be realized without conscious effort. There is keen competition between cities just as there is competition between individuals. Big benefits

rarely happen to men or to communities. Big results come to men with big minds, who can see big opportunities and prepare in a big way to meet them. Reflect on the past history of the Lima Locomotive Corporation. To realize a greater Lima we must set ourselves now to create a better Lima. We must make the most of every natural advantage. Cleveland is planning for one million population in 1920. Toledo has already reversed the report of its planning commission. Cincinnati, Columbus, Detroit and Ft. Wayne are engaged in city planning. Portland, Oregon, is planning for two million. Among the smaller cities of the United States which are planning for the future are Cedar Rapids, Ia., Chattanooga, Tenn., Colorado Springs, Colo., Columbia, S. C., Gary, Ind., Glen Ridge, N. J., Greenville, S. C., Jamestown, N. J., Crown Point, Wis., Madison, N. J., Hartford, Conn., Memphis, Tenn., Moplatiar, N. J., Oakland, Calif., Oklahoma City, Okla., Omaha, Neb., Portland, Me., Reading, Pa., Roanoke, Va., Sacramento, Calif., San Diego, Calif., San Jose, Calif., Savannah, Ga., Scranton, Pa., Springfield, Mass., Walla Walla, Wash., Watertown, Ia., Watertown, Ia., Erie Pa., Grand Rapids, Mich.

The Lima Commission can solve the Hog Creek problem in a manner which will put Lima in the way of a great future or it can solve the problem in such a way that we will be little better off than now. Hog Creek and its environs can be made the most attractive feature in Lima if the problem it presents is solved in a statesmanlike manner. It can be made the center of the choicest residence sites in the city. The solution of the flood problem might be made to solve the water supply problem.

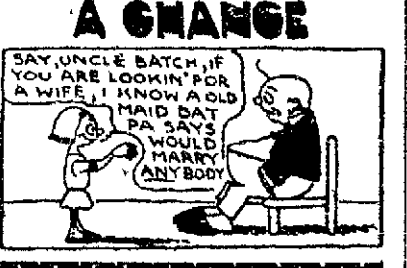
It is absolutely essential that the commission secure expert technical advice. Such advice should come from a stranger who would be absolutely impartial and therefore able to render unbiased advice which would be free from suspicion. There are many men who have made such problems their life study and their solution their profession. Let us have the aid of such a man for Lima. There is a large list of qualified men to choose from.

If the recent flood should be the occasion for the beginning of a strong civic spirit for Lima and a larger vision for the future of our city, such as Chicago experienced after the great fire there a generation ago, the meeting Friday night in the council chamber will be considered a great historical event which will mark an epoch in the beginning of a greater and a better Lima.

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MR. PHAN
CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.



Lieut. Colonel Welty Reports On Relief During Ohio Floods

Lima, Ohio, April 10, 1913.
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Gen. John C. Spinks.

Brig. Gen. Commanding O. N. G. Columbus, Ohio.

Sir—I have the honor to report that I have called for relief duty March 26th, 1913, and under order from Col. E. S. Bryant, Second Infantry, O. N. G., I purchased for relief, Dayton, Ohio, three thousand and eight hundred dollars' worth of emergency rations; three thousand of which were sent with the Second and Eighth Infantry, O. N. G., in command of Col. E. S. Bryant and Col. Edward Vollrath respectively, leaving Lima on said date for Dayton.

Under orders I withheld seven thousand rations until I received report of the successful crossing of the river by the troops at Troy, Ohio.

On the 27th of March, I received report that the troops were crossing the river over the C. H. & D. railroad bridge, single file, five feet apart, because of the dangerous condition of the bridge.

The commissary stores were loaded in small packages so as to enable the men to carry a package each across the bridge. The special commissary train left Lima following a detachment of the Eighth Infantry, in command of Lt. Col. C. C. Weybrecht. Upon reaching Troy, Col. Weybrecht was ordered to return and he took the seven thousand rations with him, which I afterwards learned were used by his troops for the relief of Zanesville.

Because of the return of these rations, Col. Bryant of the Second Infantry, and upon his request, and approval by headquarters, Adjutant Gen. Wood, Dayton, Ohio, I made a purchase of commissary stores and sent them by special train to Troy, where they were unloaded and reloaded from the C. H. & D. cars to the Dayton and Troy traction cars by Mayor McClain and the relief committee at Troy, Ohio, reaching Dayton the next morning.

An enclosing duplicate bill of the purchases so made and expenses incurred by me while on duty, duly certified and approved for payment by the state.

During the flood and while on duty at Lima, as ordered, fifty cars loaded with provisions and relief stores were received and sent from Lima and arrangements made for two more, making a total of fifty-two cars out of Lima, as shown by report to Lt. Col. Edward T. Miller, Chief Q. M., O. N. G., Columbus, Ohio, a copy of which report is hereto attached for your information. The rations purchased were loaded in four cars, making a grand total of fifty-two cars; twenty-five of these cars, including the ration supply were loaded in Lima.

In making arrangements for handling these donations, I asked and received the assistance of Hon. J. H. Goeke, Congressman from the Fourth Ohio District.

The hearty and generous response by the people of this section of the state in assisting and relieving the people in the flooded districts, is commendable, and demonstrates that we are but one people, and each section can be depended upon when assistance is needed.

I further desire to acknowledge the assistance from the people of each section furnishing cars of provisions and relief, in promptly reporting these cars and hat each car contained.

My headquarters during this relief work were in the rooms occupied by the Assistant Trainmaster of the C. H. & D. railroad company at Lima, Ohio, and he and all of his train dispatchers rendered all possible assistance in handling these relief cars, sending special trains and cars when requested. The Pennsylvania railroad company also furnished a special crew in transporting supplies. All the railroads and interurban lines having trackage running in and out of Lima rendered assistance when needed, and furnished and transported cars of provisions and relief free of charge to stricken centers with all possible speed.

I desire to make special mention of car M. T. 3235, loaded with rations. This car was delivered to me by freight agent C. H. & D. Lima, Ohio, on the morning of March 29th, donor unknown. This car with other cars was transferred to the Pennsylvania, which company at that time was making up a special train of cars delivered to them by myself for Columbus. It was afterwards learned that this car was consigned to Dobbin Bros., Louisville, Kentucky, and came from Apulia, New York.

I made purchases at the request of the relief committees of both Lima and Troy, with the agreement that these provisions so purchased by myself for the relief of these cities were to be paid for by the respective relief committees of said cities. Arrangements for two cars of provisions and relief were made and will likely be delivered to Col. Miller by next Monday.

I have been constantly on duty here from March 26th to April 10th, 1913. Respectfully submitted,
B. F. Welty,
Lt. Col. Chief Comy, O. N. G.

Lima, O., April 10th, 1913.
Major, Chief Comy, O. N. G.
Lt. Col. Edward T. Miller,
Chief Q. M., O. N. G.,
Columbus, Ohio.

Sir—I have the honor to make the following report of donations received and transmitted from Lima, Ohio, for the relief of districts suffering because of damage by the recent flood, donor of each car and where sent is shown below, to wit:

March 26th, 1913.
1. G. T. 14257, clothing and provisions from Lima to Ottawa, O.
2. C. H. & D. 36281, car of boats from Lima for Ottawa, O.
3. Two coaches loaded with meat from Lima for relief at Ottawa, Ohio.

6. Ohio Electric car from Lima containing bedding for Ottawa, O. March 26th, 1913.
7. W. L. E. 21046, provisions received from Pandora, O., to relief committee at Lima, O., sent to Troy, Ohio.

8. P. L. E. 32624, from Wapakoneta for Columbus, O.
9. G. T. 17605, from Lima for Columbus, O. March 26th, 1913.

11. N. Y., N. H. & H. 89975.
12. Erie 102612.
13. M. C. 44786.

These three cars from Montgomery Ward & Company of Chicago, Ill., for Columbus.

14. M. D. T. 9238, car of cabbage reported by agent C. H. & D. railroad company, donor unknown, sent to Columbus.

N. B. It was afterwards learned that this car was consigned to Dobbin Bros., Louisville, Ky., and came from Apulia, N. Y., and went as far south as Troy. It was sent back by assistant trainmaster C. H. & D. and agent at Lima was ordered to turn car over to Commissary.

15, 16, 17, 18. Three cars loaded with motor boats and provisions. Car from Cleveland in charge of Dr. Bishop, delivered C. H. & D. by Big Four at Sidney. Ordered held there under instructions of Gen. Spinks, and on March 29th sent to Zanesville via Columbus for relief.

19. G. T. 14357, meat ordered from Lima by Chief Commissary on request of J. T. Neelson, Chairman Relief Committee, Piqua, O., to be paid for by Piqua.

20. D. T. Car meat ordered by Chief Commissary for J. T. Neelson, Chairman Relief Committee, Piqua, O., to be paid for by Piqua.

21. M. V. 2655, Progressive Association for Piqua. March 31st, 1913.

22. B. & O. 14031, from Wapakoneta for Troy.

23. B. & O. 14899, from Lorain, O., to Dayton via Kenton. April 1st, 1913.

24. A. C. L. 23345 from Unionport, O., to Columbus.

25. C. C. & S. T. L. 7429, from Anna to Troy.

26. H. V. 32390, lime consigned to J. H. Whiteman, Wapakoneta from the Western Ohio Lime Co., Marion, O., under arrangements with J. H. Goeke of Wapakoneta, car was consigned at request of Mayor McClain, President Board of Health, Troy, O., under an agreement that he would pay for this lime.

27, 28. Two cars of hmo ordered by Mayor McClain, President Board of Health, Troy, O., through Chief Commissary, to be paid for by Troy. These two cars were ordered by the Chief Commissary, upon request of the Board of Health, Troy, under agreement for payment by Troy to the Western Ohio Lime Co.

29. M. K. T. 13629, from Waynesfield, O., to Columbus, O.

30. Morris & Co. 9401, meat and groceries ordered by relief committee for payment by Piqua. Piqua through Chief Commissary to be paid for by Piqua. April 2nd, 1913.

31. L. E. & W. 5144, Master, St. Johns and Wapakoneta to Dayton.

32. D. L. & W. 32873, Wapakoneta and New Knoxville to Dayton, Ohio.

33. G. T. 14357, Lima to Piqua.

34. M. D. T. 14665, Lima for Dayton, but at Col. Miller's request sent to Zanesville.

35, 36. N. Y. C. H. R. 116222 and P. R. R. 561768, containing bedding, Quamper of Commerce, Toledo, O., for relief by Lima Mattress Co., Lima, O.

37, 38. R. L. 7889, containing meats for Piqua Relief Committee from Lima to Piqua, to be paid for by Piqua.

39. C. H. & D. 46277, Crider-ville and vicinity for Dayton.

40. C. H. & D. 46272, Wapakoneta and Moulton, O., for Dayton. April 5th, 1913.

41. Erie 107855, Spencerville and vicinity for Columbus via Marion, Ohio.

42. M. Y. C. H. 110490, Bluffton to Columbus Grove. April 7th, 1913.

43. Erie 79585, Spencerville and vicinity to Columbus. April 8th, 1913.

44. Erie 89669, Citizens' Relief Committee, Lima, for Dayton.

45. P. C. S. V. D. 21194, Beaver-dam for Columbus.

46. M. D. T. X. 30785, Convoys, O., for Columbus.

47. D. S. 8004, Convoys, O., for Columbus.

48. P. R. R. 12008, Erie and vicinity to Columbus.

49. Erie 106138, Harrod and vicinity to Columbus. April 9th, 1913.

50. A. T. S. F. 35473, Delphos and vicinity for Columbus.

51. Erie 7103, New Hampshire and vicinity for Columbus.

52. M. S. T. P. F. M. 24886, Lafayette and Jackson township, Allen county, O., for Columbus.

53. L. V. 55573, Lima Mattress Co., Lima, O., for Dayton, car purchased by relief committee at Dayton, O., and loaded and sent under direction of the Chief Commissary. April 10th, 1913.

54. P. R. R. 21429, Lima Mattress Co., Lima, O., for Dayton.

Arrangements were made for two cars ordered shipped to yourself, which will likely be loaded either Saturday or Monday, one from the Progressive Association of Lima, O., and one from Jackson Center, O.

In addition to the above ten thousand rations for troops were loaded

March 26th and 27th on camp M. V. 2655 and 1. C. 14665, and on April 2nd, rations were loaded on C. R. L. 50281, on E. M. 13614 and P. R. R. 561768. All these rations were purchased and loaded at Lima, O.

Since the dispatching of the above report, I was informed by the Manager of the Lima Mattress Company that he had an order for eight cars of mattresses from J. H. Patterson, President of the Relief Committee, Dayton, Ohio, and requested transportation. Arrangements were made with the C. H. & D. to receive these mattresses and transport them to Dayton free of charge.

Respectfully submitted,
B. F. Welty,
Lt. Col. Chief Comy, O. N. G.

Save a dollar or more by buying your shoes at Wenger's Sample Shoe Store, Fourth Floor Metropolitan Bldg.

THE STAGE

SOMETHING ABOUT 'THE SIREN.'

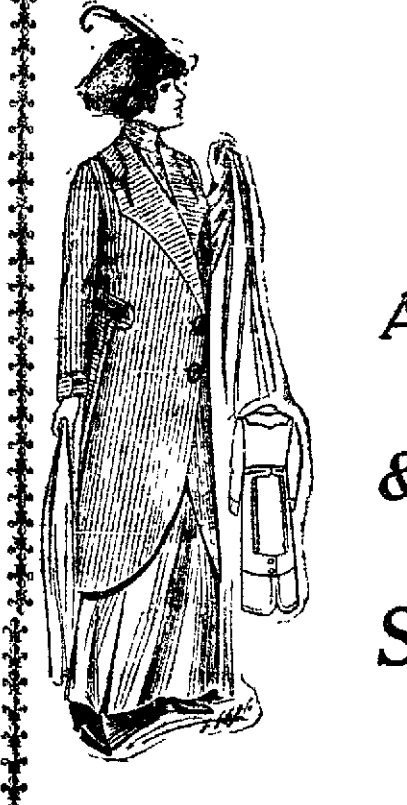
Although the new musical comedy that Charles Frohman will present at the Faret next Thursday evening serves as the vehicle for the debut of Donald Brian as a star, the title of the production does not refer to that clever young artist. In "The Siren" the name role is that of a young woman who is attracted by her uncle, the minister of police, to lure the hero on to his destruction. In fact this particular siren is a sort of delightful woman detective and it does not interfere with the continuity of the story because she ultimately becomes the hero's bride.

"The Siren" is by Leo Stein and A. M. Willner, the music by Leo Fall, and the English version of the libretto is by Harry B. Smith. Leo Fall, composer, has to his credit, besides "The Dollar Princess" in which Mr. Brian was seen last year, "The Girl in the Train," in which Frank Daniels starred last year, "The Doll Girl" to which Mr. Frohman has set rights; "Fair Rievals," "A Jolly Peasant" and others of success.

Mr. Frohman did not depend altogether upon the beauty of the music of "The Siren" or the cleverness and attractiveness of the star, for the supporting company is one of unusual excellence and includes such artists as Carol McComas, Ethel Cadman, Will West and others. The chorus is an unusually large and attractive one, recruited from among the cleverest and most attractive members of Mr. Frohman's American and English companies.

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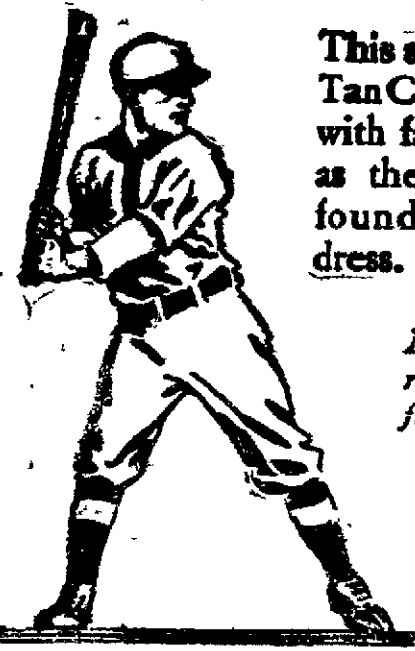
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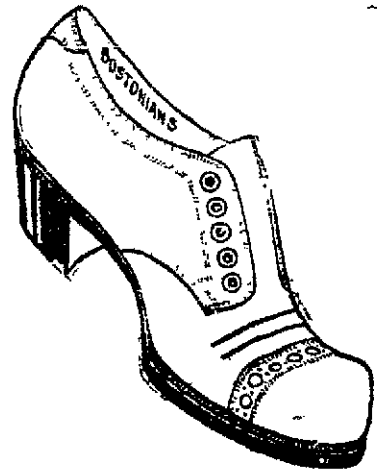
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**MAKES SELECTION
OF NINTH MEMBER**

**Who Will Serve on the Ot-
tawa River Improvement
Commission.**

The rumor of the appointment of Edward A. Dean as the citizen representative to serve on the commission which has under consideration the improvement of the Ottawa river was verified last night when Dean was unanimously elected at a mass meeting of citizens. Dean accepted the appointment.

It was announced Friday evening that Dean had been selected by a citizens' committee to serve on the commission but after considering the matter it was thought perhaps the committee had exceeded its authority. The mass meeting last night justified their action.

The commission now includes county commissioners Fry, Arnold and Fisher, Councilmen Bryan, Clapper and Keville, Maize and Harman of the Progressive Association and Dean, the appointee of the citizens' association. The meeting last night over which T. R. Slimears presided, was held in the police court room. No other name but Dean's was suggested.

The county commissioners have already begun investigations of problems which the commission must face. The commission will probably meet late in this week following the arrival of Frank L. Maize from Miami, Florida, but will not take any definite action until the condition of Commissioner Fry, who is ill at the city hospital, permits his attendance.

A meeting will be held in a day or so, however, for the purpose of organization, when a chairman and secretary will be elected and the method of procedure decided upon.

Why He Was Late.

"What made you so late?"

"I met Smithson."

"Well, that is no reason why you should be an hour late getting home to supper."

"I know, but I asked him how he was feeling, and he insisted on telling me about his stomach trouble."

"Did you tell him to take Chamberlain's Tablets?"

"Sure, that is what he needs." For sale by all dealers.

**SPRING BONNETS
FOR LIMA POLICE.**

Signs of spring are much more noticeable than spring itself and while the gentle season officially began on the 22nd of last month, in the minds of most people there has been some question as to whether or not the weatherman erred. The most recent sign, however, is the purchase of the police department of 16 new helmets for summer wear.

Dr. Guy F. Bayly, dentist, has resumed his practice in the Holland Block.

"My little son had a very severe cold. I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silks, 29 Dowling street, Sydney, Australia. "This remedy is for sale by all dealers."

LITTLE TOT PASSES AWAY

Infant Daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Ivan Wagner Dies
This Morning.

**PNEUMONIA OF BUT
ONE DAY'S DURATION**

**Causes Demise. Child Was
Little More Than One
Year of Age.**

Florine Doelers Wagner, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wagner, of 509 Franklin street, passed into eternal sleep at the age of her parents shortly after two o'clock this morning. The little life that for the past years had brought joy and happiness to the hearts of two proud parents was closed peacefully after an illness of but one day and a half.

The little one was born on the eleventh day of April, 1912, at the time of death having attained an age of one year and four days. Pneumonia of but a short duration attacked the little body and brought about the death. The funeral services will be held on Thursday at the residence of the parents at 800 Franklin street at two o'clock in the afternoon. The Rev. Constain will have charge of the services. Interment will be made in the Woodlawn cemetery.

O'Connor Bros. Co. Insurance office will be closed Wednesday morning account Schwartz funeral.

Whales Are Not Caught In Brooks Madam! So If You Want Big Values You Must Clip the Boston Store's Coupon

50c Men's Work Shirts 30c Striped polka dot Work Shirts, deep fast color, indigo blue, shirt cut full and large; double sewed seams; attached collar, all sizes with coupon, 30c.	5c Torchon Laces 3 1/2c New display of Torchon Laces for trimming pillow cases, under-muslin, etc.; various widths. With coupon, 3 1/2c yard.	10c Pretty Silklines 5 1/4c 36 inches wide; a beautiful selection of silklines in a variety of plain and fancy numbers. Special with coupon only 5 1/4c.	5c Sharp's Needles 1 1/2c Sharp's "gold eye" Needles, points are ground in oil, count. Special Wednesday with coupon, 1 1/2c.
50c Women's Union Suits 33c Ribbed Union Suits, ideal for Spring and Summer wear, form-fitting garments; all sizes. Wednesday with coupon, 33c.	10c Women's Hose 5c Women's Cotton Hose, deep dyed black; all the sizes to choose from. Absolutely stainless. Wednesday with coupon, pair, 5c.	\$15 Room Size Rugs \$9.75 A select group of new Spring designs, choice floral and conventional patterns. Wednesday with coupon, \$9.75.	\$1.50 Heather-bloom Petticoats 85c "Genuine" Heather-bloom Petticoats, wears better than other unadorned, deep lustrous black, seven ruffled bottom. Wednesday with coupon, 85c.
10c Crash Toweling 6 1/2c Wide Crash Toweling, extra heavy kind, fully unbleached, make an excellent kitchen Towel. Wednesday with coupon, 6 1/2c.	6c Cheese Cloth 3 3/4c 36 inches wide, full bleached Cheese Cloth, extra good quality for various uses. Wednesday with coupon, 3 3/4c.	50c Gingham Petticoats 35c Women's standard grade Gingham Petticoats, plain striped materials; pretty embroidered bottom. Wednesday with coupon, 35c.	\$3.50 Boys' Suits \$1.79 Boys' serviceable School Suits, of neat dark and light patterns, sizes 5 to 6 in juveniles and 6 to 16 in boys; natty "Knicker" pants; with coupon, \$1.79.
\$1.25 Women's Waists 68c New shipment of women's new Bulgarian Waists, strictly Bulgarian effect, fine volles; all sizes. Wednesday with coupon, 68c.	10c Men's Dress Hose 5c Men's Dress Hose for Summer wear, perfect fitting, all colors, including black; any size. 10c men's Hose with coupon, 5c.	15c Music Hits 6c Will Rogers's famous folio of Music Hits, 21 pieces; all the latest and most popular hits of the day; neatly put up in a booklet form; special Wednesday with coupon, 6c.	10c School Stockings 6 1/2c Boys' and girls' School Stockings, sizes up to 9; strong durable Stockings, for hard wear. Wednesday with coupon, 6 1/2c.
3c Kerchiefs 5c Swiss Cross-bar Kerchiefs for women; regulation size, neat sewed edge. Wednesday with coupon, 4 for 5c.	15c Shears and Scissors 7c One gross of tempered Shears and Dressmaker's Scissors, a splendid sharpened blade, cuts easy. Wednesday with coupon, 7c.	75c and \$1.00 27 Inch Embroideries 25c Only 800 Yards to Sell With Wednesday "All Day" 800 yards of Embroideries go on sale at a very remarkable price concession. The Embroidery is 27 inches wide, in a variety of the most clever designs you ever saw. Now, why do we sell it so cheap at this time of the year? That Embroidery is a lot of samples slightly muscled through handling; is otherwise in good condition. Wednesday Clip This Coupon.	\$1 Women's Corsets 59c Women's fashionable Spring and Summer Corsets, long hip models, four hose supporters; excellent grade bonings; all sizes. Wednesday with coupon, 59c.
\$1.50 Hair Switches 74c Human Hair Switches, three separate strands, fastened on a short stem, all shades. Wednesday with coupon, 74c.	5c German Silver Thimbles 1c Wednesday only "two gross" of German Silver Thimbles; regulation size. Wednesday with coupon, 1c.	25c Lisle Gloves 12 1/2c Women with small hands and misses can obtain at 25c Lisle Glove, stylish at all times, two clasp style. Wednesday with coupon, 12 1/2c.	8 1/2c Unbleached Muslin 6 1/2c 36 inches wide, extra heavy unbleached Muslin, free from starch and even thread. Wednesday with coupon, 6 1/2c.
\$5 Beautiful Millinery \$2.65 A lot of stylish women's Millinery, showing new styles for Spring in all the chosen shapes and ideas. Wednesday with coupon, \$2.65.	15c Colgate's Talcum 10c Colgate's Talcum Powder, famous cashmere bouquet, antiseptic, highly perfumed. Wednesday with coupon, 10c.	18c Table Oil Cloth 12 1/2c 45 inches wide. Table Oil Cloth, light and dark patterns of every conceivable idea. Special big sale with coupon, 12 1/2c yd.	\$1.50 Curtains and Rods \$1 A pair of beautiful Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, white and Arab and a pair of brass finished Curtain Rods, 64 inches long. Wednesday with coupon, \$1.
69c Children's Dresses 44c Age 6 to 16. Children's School and Every-Day Dresses; neatly sewed of percale and dress gingham; pretty patterns. Wednesday with coupon, 44c.	25c Bib Aprons 15c Women's Gingham Aprons, "bib style," taped edge all around. Why waste your time making one, when these are so cheap. Wednesday with coupon, 15c.	"THE UNDERSELLING STORE" BOSTON STORE 233-235 No. MAIN ST. LIMA, O.	

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

But one of the founders of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, survives—Ellen Hardin Walworth. This very interesting woman is the central figure at the twenty-second continental congress of the society, which convened in Washington, D. C., Monday, and will continue in daily sessions until April 14.

All the history and sentiment marking the days of the beginning of this world-famous organization now center in Mrs. Walworth. The two others now universally designated as "founders" with Mrs. Walworth were Mary Desha and Eugenia Washington.

Mrs. Walworth was born in Jacksonville, Morgan county, Illinois, and is the eldest child of Col. John J. Hardin, who soon after his election to congress returned home to assume command of a regiment of his wife, in the family homestead where the parents of both died. With a few exceptions, Mrs. Walworth has passed her whole life since her marriage in the historic old home.

When the call came in 1876 for funds to renovate Mount Vernon, and to collect women's work for the Centennial exposition, Mrs. Walworth took up the work for her mother, who had been the first vice president of the organization which purchased Mount Vernon, and is

celebrate this anniversary, was forthcoming and good wishes were offered for many years of coming happiness.

Among those who came from a distance to attend were Henry Good, Miss Mary Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. George Cleveland, of Kalida; Mrs. George Brocius and daughter Verna; Mrs. Clara Vaughn and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Edinger of Lima; Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Ridinger and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Candier, Mr. and Mrs. John Seitz and two children, of Columbus Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Reynolds, of Fort Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams, of Leipsic; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dorsey, of Mount Cory; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smeltzer, of Delphos; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Candier, of St. Marys; Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Prundig, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Good, Mr. and Mrs. D. Barkimer, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson, H. M. Grison, Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong, Mrs. Fred Bartlesher, Mrs. Alta Garau, Mrs. Samuel Zullinger, Mrs. Reba Purdy, Mrs. S. O. Bogart, Mrs. A. V. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Benroth, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Kimmell, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rummel, Isaac Wingate, John Dray, of Bluffton, and vicinity; Anthony Hall, William Candier, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kidd, Bart Jackson, Mr. Ellen Hinkle, Miss Corda Hinkle, Master Carol Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Orams, of Amosville.

The first meeting of the Social Service club, since the newly-elected officers have been selected, was held last evening at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. Miss Bertha Borger is the new president; Miss Loyola Hartman, vice president; Miss Freda Oerman, secretary; and Miss Lucile Orchard, treasurer. Mrs. H. N. Crawford, chairman of the finance committee, and Mrs. Oscar Young, assistant.

There is every reason to believe Miss Abigail Secret of Chicago, who has been visiting the retiring president, Mrs. Howard Fletcher, will remain in Lima and continue the work the club has already started with Miss Starbird. Much favorable com-

ment was paid the work of Miss Starbird, who has been supported by the club, but who now goes to work among women and children for the Business Woman's club.

The club is happy to number among its new members Mrs. Gilman P. Dildine.

Mrs. Catharine Baxter, of 1021 west Spring street, invited a number of her friends to her home on Monday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Miss Baxter has reached the age of ten years and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Baxter.

MODERN WOODMEN HELP CIVIC LEAGUE

A total of two hundred dollars was turned into the treasury of the civic league this morning by M. L. Mayer to be used for the supervision of the playground at Lincoln park. The money represented the proceeds of an entertainment given March 28 by Lima Camp, No. 1294 Modern Woodmen of America.

While there is some difference of opinion as to how the money should be expended it is agreed by the civic association that it shall be used for the supervision of the Lincoln park grounds or for the purchase of equipment of a new playground which may be built in the southern section of the city.

AT LOT OWNERS EXPENSE

Notices of the improvement of Franklin avenue from Elm street to Lakewood are published today, and the improvement of the street begins in the near future. According to the agreement signed by the property owners, the entire cost of improvement will be borne by them. It is expected the work will be completed in the early fall.

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Specialist will be in the store from 7:00 to 9:00 during this week.

Sale Closes Saturday, April 19th.

Hundreds of letters from people in the city and out of town that could not attend the sale so far, ask us to continue this sale; of course this means a sacrifice of most of the profits, but we don't know of a better way to advertise our Optical Department to the public.

No other sale of this kind ever held in Lima has met with such great success as this one.

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News Items of Interest About Our Neighbors In Surrounding Towns

BEAVERDAM

Thomas Durkee, of San Francisco, Calif., arrived Friday evening for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Durkee, and brother I. O. Durkee and family. He will spend several weeks here and with relatives in Lima.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Mount Cory will give a play called "The Danger Signal" here on Friday evening, April 25th, at the town hall. The admission will be 20 cents, and for children, 10 cents.

Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Russell left here Thursday morning for Lima, where the former will spend several days with relatives before going to Chicago to take a several months course in medicine.

Mrs. Hinkle and daughter, Corda, of near Bluffton, were the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. William Fox, Wednesday.

M. L. Young received word of the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Wilson Young, which occurred at her home near New Stark Saturday morning. Several relatives from here attended the funeral services which were held on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Bailey, of Lima, is spending a few weeks with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carnes, of near Lafayette, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kempf, of Lima, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterson, Sunday.

Havil Dodge, of Bluffton, was the Sunday guest of his uncle, T. L. Dodge and family.

Miss Hilda Hardesty, of Lima, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardesty, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Edgcomb were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oldaker at Lima, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stoner have moved from Lima to the Stoner farm east of here, where Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lewis formerly lived.

Dr. I. R. Wetherill, of Bluffton, was here on professional business, Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Berryhill entertained

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John and G. L. Brunk with C. A. Purry accompanying on the slide trombone, furnished a round of laughter. They responded to an encore of "The Star Spangled Banner" and a good time was served, after which the guests all departed. Those present were Prof. and Mrs. Ledy, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Siemen, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Brennenman, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sherrick, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley John, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. William Lang, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Purry, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. John, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Schoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Holtzapple, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. John, Mr. and Mrs. George Brunk, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Huffer.

The many friends of Bert Conrad will be glad to learn that he is once more able to walk about.

Willis Huffer has purchased a part of the lot situated on the corner of Main street owned by S. D. Crites and J. E. John and will erect a business room and residence combined. Work will begin in several days.

Grace Stemen, of Lima, was an over-Sunday guest of relatives here.

Gladys John left Monday for Cincinnati, to resume her work of studying for a trained nurse in a children's training school.

Mrs. Phil Schnabel, of Lima, spent Monday here at her parents' home.

Mrs. Ernest Pharo and children, Arthur and Margaret, and Mrs. L. Fowler were the guests of friends at Lima, Saturday.

L. O. Durkee and son, Warren were the guests of relatives at Lima, Saturday afternoon.

Dr. E. C. Yingling made a business trip to Lafayette, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mort were the guests of their son, John Mort and family, of near Lima, Thursday.

Lee Johnson, of Ada, was the guest of his son, William Johnson and family, Sunday.

The schools will close on Friday, April 15th. The primary and grammar grades will have a program in their various grades at the school building on Friday afternoon. The parents of the pupils and those interested are cordially invited to attend these exercises.

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Monel, of Lima, acted as bridesmaid, wearing a dark blue tailored suit. Mr. Carline Malone, of Lima, was best man. After the services breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents on south Main street. Mr. and Mrs. Nestle (?) make their home in Lima, starting out with the best wishes to all their friends.

Cornelius Kortier, of Ft. Jennings, was in Delphos, Friday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKenzie visited friends in Lima, Saturday.

Mrs. F. O. Brotherton, who has been in Delaware with relatives who were in the flood, has returned to her home in this city.

Raymond Elm was in Lima Friday on affairs of business.

As a result of falling and hitting his head on a sharp piece of metal on one of the machines, Albert Landic, employee at the Herald office, was unable to be at work Saturday and is being annoyed by a bad gash in his left cheek and two of his teeth were knocked loose when the accident occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. William Straklem, of Middle Point, were in this city on a business trip.

Mrs. Dr. Goodwin, of Paulding, sister of Mrs. E. Burnett, wife of Dr. Burnett, of west Fifth street, died at her home in Paulding, Saturday. Mrs. Goodwin has often visited her sister in this city and her many friends will be grieved to hear of her death.

Mrs. Burnett, who went to Paulding several days ago was at the bedside of her sister, who she breathed her last.

The St. Joseph's society of St. John's church held their annual meeting Sunday afternoon. The members were conducted from the church to the school hall by the Landeck band. Officers for the coming year were elected.

A little babe was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grothouse, Saturday morning.

Anna Landwehr, of Delphos, attended the funeral of little Omer Schaffner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schaffner, at 1656 north Main street, Lima.

No passenger trains have been run on the Dayton-Delphos division of the C. & D. since the flood.

Furthermore, C. E. Dray, agent in this city, can learn nothing definite as to the time when the traffic will be resumed.

The dance given by the Fleur de Lis club Thursday evening was a very pleasing event and was thoroughly enjoyed by all the young folks.

The collection taken up at St. John's Catholic church for the benefit of the flood sufferers amounted to \$206.40.

Mrs. Cecil Gray, of Van Wert, is visiting in this city with Miss Velma Rogers and mother on east Second.

John Wallace issued a trespassing proceeding in Mayor Williams' court, Saturday morning, against Henry Lampe, to prevent him from moving into a residence on east Third street. The case was given a hearing Saturday morning in which it was brought out that Lampe leased the residence from Mr. Wallace against the will of her husband.

Mayor Williams issued a motion to dismiss the case after hearing the evidence. W. S. Kimball represented the plaintiff and Mr. Lampe was represented by Lindemann and Lindemann.

AT THE ORPHEUM.

Every seat in the house sold for the Monday matinee and two big night houses at the Orpheum was the way the new bill for the first half of the week started off. Headed by Enoch, world's greatest diver, the audience was pleased heartily with every act. Enoch smokes under water, eats under water, plays a trombone and does acrobatic and contortion work as gracefully as though we were out high and dry.

As a test he gives an endurance dive, remaining under at the matinee 2 minutes and 36 seconds. His act is undoubtedly the greatest of its kind ever witnessed in Lima.

Arling & Arling have a scream of a musical act. Howard & Howell a lot of clever songs and some clever lines, while Isa Hempton & Company present a modern suffragette playlet that is well-acted and amusing. The Roman Street Singers won hearty applause at each performance. New run pictures close what, judging from applause, is one of the very best bills Manager Wheeler has yet offered Orpheum patrons.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of April, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M., there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Lima Drilling Company, of Lima, Ohio, to vote upon the question of dissolution of said corporation and a surrender of its franchises. Said meeting will be held at the office of Robt & McLaughlin, attorneys-at-law, 420 & 424 Holland Building, Lima, O.

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ATTENTION, COMRADES.

All members of Mart Armstrong Post are hereby notified of a regular meeting Wednesday evening, April 16, at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

By order of CALVIN OSBORN, Commander.

RECOGNITION OF M. L. BAILY

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seven years' experience in the Y. M. C. A. work with the United States army which took him around the world with honors ranging from recognition by Helen Gould to parading of Japanese troops for his inspection, M. G. Baily who has been boys' secretary of the Columbus Y. M. C. A., becomes assistant secretary of the Ohio State Sunday School Association on April 15. He will at once begin his work by attending the numerous county Sunday school conventions to be held prior to the state convention at Portsmouth, June 3, 4 and 5, assisting General Secretary C. W. Shinn, of Columbus. Mr. Baily's specialty is work with boys. He comes to the State Sunday School association for the purpose of developing a new field with that body. He will have charge of the boys' congress at the Portsmouth convention, which will be attended by delegates from all over the state.

The new assistant secretary took a course in Y. M. C. A. work at Springfield, Mass. When the government's call for workers came at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, he was placed in charge of the Y. M. C. A. of the United States army at Camp Tampa, Fla. Later, he was transferred to Massachusetts and New York.

The government next sent him to the Philippines where he spent a year and a half on the island of Luzon. This work brought him to the attention of the Japanese government and while returning to America he spent six weeks in that kingdom and laid the foundation for Y. M. C. A. work with the Japanese army.

Returning to America he was called to the work at Fort Monroe, where he acted as agent of Miss Helen Gould, who erected the first army Y. M. C. A. building in the United States. He came to Columbus for the purpose of developing boys' work in connection with the Y. M. C. A. and was so signally successful that he was called to the larger field which the state work affords.

NOTICE.

All members of Solar Lodge, I O O F, No. 783, are urged to be present at the meeting Wednesday evening the 16th instant, on account of important business coming before the lodge.

By order of the Noble Grand.

SMALLPOX SCARE
NOT LONG LIVED.

Cleveland, O., April 15.—Smallpox of a mild nature has assailed Secretary William Blackwood of the Cleveland Naps, and at club headquarters it was announced the official's home, 7609 Lexington avenue, had been quarantined. Prior to the contest between Sox and Naps yesterday afternoon, Health Officer Friedrich examined all the Cleveland players and pronounced them out of danger.

Dr. M. H. Castle, Nap club physician, who diagnosed Blackwood's case, states most of the players have been vaccinated recently enough to be immune. He further states Blackwood's case had not reached the contagious stage until after his arrival home from the south, and since his confinement at home none but members of his family and the doctors have seen him.

It is supposed Blackwood contracted the trouble in Pennsylvania, as smallpox takes ten or twelve days to incubate, said Dr. Castle. "Fans in the stands at games are in absolutely no danger," Blackwood's friend, who became ill last Saturday, but was not known he had smallpox (11) Friday.

"There's nothing to worry about," said Callahan. "Why, we had a similar proposition last Sunday, when we played in St. Joseph and Outfielder Watson was taken from the ball park right to the pesthouse. It did not worry anybody on the Sox team, and they're not going to lose any sleep over this case here, in which Blackwood, I am told, has not been near any of the players since his case broke out."

LYRIC THEATRE.

"The City" at the Lyric theatre drew an immense crowd to the opening performance of this high class play last night, this being the first that Clyde Fitch's modern story of American life has ever been presented in this city at popular prices, and the fact that this play had made such an excellent impression when presented at the Faubourg by the high price production served to introduce this wonderful drama to the theatre-goers. Nothing the Barrett Players have presented has ever made a bigger hit than "The City." All the members of the company did excellent work in their different roles, while Miss May, and Messrs. Carroll, Bronner and Barrett were particularly strong in their supporting roles.

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WHAT SPORTSMEN ARE TALKING ABOUT



COBB AN INCOMPARABLE PLAYER, SAYS JENNINGS

It is the opinion of Hugh Jennings, manager of the Detroit team, that the base runners of today are, for the most part, far inferior to the base runners of the time when McGraw, Keeler, Kelley, Hanlon and Loez were in the game.

"Baseball, as a game, has made wonderful strides in the past ten or twenty years," says Hugh, "but the player of today—I am speaking in general terms—is far the inferior of the player of yesterday when base running is considered. There are faster men—that is, more faster men—but there are not

any more of the speed and learning when to take chances. Now he is one of the best base runners in the game.

"I do not consider Eddie Collins an exceptional or a very dangerous man when it comes to running bases. Collins has not developed himself sufficiently in the fastaway slide, and until he gets that properly he will not cause opposing teams any undue alarm when he gets on the sacks.

"I do not believe that there is much chance for improvement along other lines. It is hardly possible that there will ever be a player the superior of Cobb. In fact, if Cobb's equal is found it will be an exception. Cobb is without a weakness as a player, and this is something that cannot be said of any other player in the game. Ty, however, had shortcomings when he broke into baseball, but he had sense enough to realize them and willingness enough to work to overcome them. That is why he is the greatest player.

"Every baseball follower in the country knows how, a few years ago, Cobb was a cinch for Doc White, the Chicago pitcher. White knew Cobb had a weakness at the bat, and White preyed on it. Cobb knew the situation as well as did White, and after months of faithful hitting against a certain kind of pitched ball Cobb overcame his weakness, and White can trick Cobb no more.

"When other players begin to realize their faults and try faithfully to overcome them, then, and then only, will baseball be advanced."

TENNIS THE INTERNATIONAL GAME

If baseball is Uncle Sam's national game and cricket is England's, tennis is certainly the international game. It is played everywhere on the face of the globe, almost from pole to pole, and from far east to near west.

The United States and Canada are dotted with tennis clubs from ocean to ocean and well decorated with courts. Every country in Europe has its host of tennis players, from Russia down to the tip of Italy. Every sport loving foreigner in India is a tennis devotee, as are many of the natives. At the last tournament in Singapore there were 500 entries and the standard of play was very high. Tennis is played in the Malay states, in the Straits Settlements, in Siam, in Indo-China, all over Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania, as well as in many of the tiny islands of Polynesia; in the principal cities of China and Japan and their suburbs, and in Egypt, under the shadow of the pyramids.

There are plenty of places in the world where an athletic American could get up a game to play baseball or a patriotic Britisher couldn't find a cricket crease or bat, but if there is another lover of sport within hailing distance and the place is at all civilized one can be pretty sure of finding a tennis court and an opponent worthy of his racket.

Sends 25 Racers to Shanghai

A SYDNEY, Australia, dealer recently shipped twenty-five well bred geldings to the International Race club at Shanghai.

H. S. O. ASHINGTON OF CAMBRIDGE A VERSATILE ATHLETE



ASHINGTON, IN CENTER, GOING OVER THE HURDLES

WHEN the Oxford and Cambridge athletes come to America to meet Yale and Harvard in a dual meet this summer American followers of track and field sports will have an opportunity of seeing one of the best athletes in the world. He is H. S. O. Ashington of Cambridge.

Not in recent times has an athlete shown such remarkable ability on the track and field as has Ashington. Even the mighty Jim Thorpe never did what this young Englishman did recently.

At the recent Oxford-Cambridge meet Ashington won three events—the 130 yard high hurdle race, the running broad jump and the half mile run. He captured the hurdle in 16 1-5 seconds, smashed the meet record in the jump by clearing 23 feet 5 1/2 inches and won the half mile in 2 minutes 1 1-5 seconds.

To win the hurdle and jump was not so remarkable. Many athletes have done the same. But to win them and then defeat a clumsy field in a half mile run is considered by experts to be little short of phenomenal.

They cite the fact that no athlete since the days of Al Copeland, the famous hurdler, ever won a middle distance run against a fast field after winning a jump and a hurdle race.

Experts who have seen Ashington in action predict that he will smash several records this year and say that if he specializes for one event he will make a world's record that will stand



H. S. O. ASHINGTON.

GOLF IN AMERICA ABOUT TWENTY YEARS OLD

"It's hard to realize that American golf had its conception barely twenty-one years ago," commented Alexander P. W. Kinman, president of the Union Dime bank, New York, "but that's the fact in a few words. John Reid of Yonkers was responsible for it as the result of a trip to Scotland. 'Come out tomorrow,' he said to a few of us Feb. 21, 1891, 'and we'll try a Scotch game I enjoyed on the other side.'"

"Accepting the invitation were John B. Upham, a New York broker; Harry Holbrook, now deceased, formerly of Holbrook Brothers, and myself. The clubs used were several sets which Mr. Reid provided, and six impromptu holes were laid out on what is now North Broadway, in Yonkers. Tomato cans served as cups, and Mr. Holbrook's sons, Fred and Warren, acted as caddies.

"Two years later the formation of the St. Andrews, the parent American club, resulted—and what has come as a natural consequence you all know quite well. Courses everywhere indicate the national prominence of the game, and all because it's a game for young and old, strong and weak, and its joy is unending."

WINNING PITCHERS ALSO ABLE TO BAT AND FIELD

NOW and then some baseball manager or writer comes before the public with the suggestion that the pitchers be relieved of the formality of batting, arguing that most of the pitchers are dunces in the art of batting anyway and should be allowed to stick to their department of the game—attempts to deceive the batter.

You do not hear this argument advanced quite as often as in the days gone by, for the simple reason that the pitchers themselves are exploding the theory that they cannot connect with the twists of their adversaries. Take the really good pitchers and you will find that few of them confess their efforts to pitching. The star pitchers are real all around players. They do not depend entirely upon the cunning and strength of their salary arms. They know how to field, and they field with skill. They know how to bat and demonstrate their ability along that line when put to the test.

Joe Wood led the American league pitchers in 1912. He batted .290, his hits including thirteen doubles, a triple and a home run. He made but four errors in forty-three games. Eddie Plank, who lost but six games, ranked next to Wood, batted .267 and felled without an error, Walter Johnson, the pitching marvel, hit .264, six doubles, four triples and two homers going to his credit. He also felled his position splendidly. Jack Coombs, who won twenty-one and lost ten games, batted .255 and did not make a fielding error. Jean Dubuc of the Tigers led his teammates in victories, batted .376 and scored but three times. McDowell of the Yankees hit .297, while Russell Ford batted .288. The two led the Yankee hurlers in victories. Ford was also among the leaders in fielding. Fred Blanding was the Naps' most consistent winner. He felled excellently and batted well. Ed Walsh was another who helped himself out by his own batting as did George Mullin of Detroit. "Chief" Bender is also in the list.

Hendrix, the leading pitcher in the National league, led the heavies in fielding and batted .323, his collection of drives including ten doubles, six triples and one four sacker. Mathewson, Connally, Wise, Connally, Rucker, Brennan and Marquand also batted well and ranked high as fielders as well.

It goes to show that class lists. Had Joe Wood, Russell Ford, Ed Walsh, Hendrix, Walter Johnson, Coombs or Plank elected to play some other position the chances are that he would have succeeded, providing he had thought the same thing to bear upon his work that he devoted to pitching. Perhaps the country was robbed of a

great second sacker when Joe Wood became a pitcher. Perhaps a grand third baseman went to waste when



Photo by American Press Association. RUSSELL FORD.

Jean Dubuc picked out the box as the safest spot on the team. Who knows but that Christy Mathewson might have made a star first baseman?

Tradition a Factor In College Athletics

COACH AL SHARPE of Cornell, thinks that tradition is a strong factor in athletics. Speaking recently at Syracuse, N. Y., Dr. Sharpe said:

"Cornell's crews cross the line in the lead year after year because the tradition of Cornell to live up to. The football men next year will have the tradition established by the Cornell line this year to uphold. The game played at Philadelphia last November was the one game of the year that was brought out.

Promoters Should Be Censured For Trying To Coax Jeffries Back to the Ring

THE efforts of some of the promoters or managers to bring Jim Jeffries back into the boxing game is not meeting with much enthusiasm, especially with the public. The public well remembers the fiasco of 1910, when Jack Johnson, the colored boxer, was given the opportunity to defeat a man who had no business in the ring at that time. The idea of trying to bring back into the game a man who has proved that he cannot "come back" is so ridiculous that the followers of the sport would never stand for it. They had one experience and that was sufficient.

It is not Jim Jeffries who is to be blamed for any such movement now, but the men who are trying to urge him to make one more attempt to "come back," like the "farewell" of Paris. It was not Jeffries who wanted to get into the limelight in 1910, when the critics began to howl for him to re-enter the ring and bring the championship back to the white race. Jeff stated time and time again that he was out of the game for good, that he had retired and wanted to remain a retired and undefeated champion. The urging was so great that the alfalfa farmer began to think he was really as good as ever and might make a successful re-entrance

into the arena. He even went so far as to visit Germany for the purpose of taking baths and to find out whether his stomach, which had bothered him considerably, would stand the stress of training for a hard battle. That was the secret of Jeff's first trip over to Germany at that time. The long grime was too much for him, and though he appeared in good shape before the contest for the title at Reno he was a sick man, or, rather, on the verge of nervous prostration the day of the battle. The fact is, he was never the same man physically after he left Rowardena, in California, when Governor Gillette ordered the contest declared off, as he lost heart from that moment and did not take the same interest in it. He knew that his condition had been worked up to the right point for the earlier date, and from that time on he began to go back.

Jeffries is thirty-eight years of age, and he has not lived the life that some of the athletes should live in order to keep up such work. If he could not do himself justice in 1910, what chance would he have now? It would be the rankest kind of injustice to the public to try to spring such a farce again, and it is a good bet that Jim Jeffries will not consent to any such plan.

FRED CLARKE TO STICK TO BENCH MANAGING

FRED CLARKE says he has played his last game of ball and that never again will he go into the game.

This was made plain by the manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates recently when asked if he would, in a pinch, get into the game this season.

"There's not a chance. I'm through," said the man who has played and piloted the Buccaners team to four pennants and one world's championship. "I released myself as a player a year ago, and I see no reason why I should re-engage myself."

"Suppose an emergency arose. What then?"

"Not a chance" was the reply. "There are others to take my place as a player. There are younger men on the team, and a club must have and develop the younger men."

Clarke made these statements with every appearance of sincerity. From the fact that he has not been accepting any and all wagers offered him it was supposed that there might be a chance for him to get back in the game in an emergency, but the latest statement of the boss of the Pirates crew would appear to dispel any such belief. Last year, and this year, too, Clarke trained hard. In fact, he could not win any harder if he ought to get



Photo by American Press Association. FRED CLARKE.

EVERS WORRYING OVER HIS JOB

By TOMMY CLARK. JOHNNY EVERS is already worrying over his job as manager. One need take only one good look at him to note the change that has come over him since the Cubs started training this season. He has actually aged and the lines in his face have deepened.

It is evident that he has found the burden of a big league team a little more than he reckoned with before he took the job vacated by Chance. Not only has the club itself been a nightmare to the little second sacker, but he is bothered more or less by the scribbles, who are peevish by Murphy's ousting of the peerless one and who are venting their feelings on the successor of the Californian.

With the added responsibilities Evers is irritable, nervous and lacking in patience. He has shown this by his actions on the field when players would not obey his commands as quickly as he wished. His tendency is to "crab" on the slightest pretense. One of the Cub veterans said that unless Evers changes a great deal between now and when the season is well on its way he will be fired out of the game and suspended—and this wasn't said in a joking way.

THERE is not a single instance of a youngster turned down by McGraw who has since developed into a star. Steve Evans of the St. Louis Cardinals is the only player who ever amounted to anything worth while after McGraw sent him back, and Steve at the most is only a little better than the average outfielder.

When McGraw lets a man go it is a sure sign that he is nearly through as a big leaguer. Neither Devlin nor Bridwell showed to advantage after McGraw found it necessary to dispose of them. Go back even farther than that. After McGraw let McGinnis, Bowerman, Browne, Dahlen, Donlin and Tenney out they tarried a short while longer in the fast set, but soon slid out of sight.

Brenahan, of course, is still one of the best catchers in the game, but McGraw let him go to gratify Roger's ambition to become a manager and because McGraw thought he was being well rewarded for letting Roger go to St. Louis. It was the only deal McGraw made in which he got stung, as the only good man he got for Brenahan was Jack Murray. George Schlei never amounted to much for the Giants, while poor "Bugs" Raymond was only a hindrance.

NAPOLEON LAJOIE, the one time king of second basemen, has probably batted against a greater number of pitchers than any other man in the history of baseball. Larry himself doesn't know how many twirlers he has faced in the seventeen seasons he has been performing in the major

leagues, but a conservative estimate places the number at 2,000, while it would not be surprising if the total exceeded 2,500.

Figuring that Larry was called upon

to face fifteen different pitchers on each team and each season since he made his debut as a big leaguer, he would have batted against the offerings of no fewer than 2,040 hurlers. And fifteen twirlers to a team, even in the old days, is very conservative when one considers that second division teams were forever changing pitchers.

In the spring of the year Larry is almost certain to get a crack at every twirler that an opposing manager has on his staff. Why? Simply for the very good reason that that's the time that managers do their experimenting with the unsophisticated pitching material. The name is true in the fall, when any number of kid twirlers are "called in" and receive a trial in fast company.

Larry has been battling the pill longer than any player now in fast company and bids fair to continue for several years to come. Perhaps by the time he lays aside his trusty bludgeon he will have taken a crack at the offerings of 3,000 odd pitchers. And that's going some.

IF there is anything a player detests it is to have some rabid rooster dodge on to the field after the game or into the bench and carry off a bat or glove, which he will later proudly display to his friends and refer to it as though the player in question had presented it to him on a gold platter.

Occurrences of this sort are frequent. All ball players have suffered the loss of a favorite glove or stick at some time in their big league careers. Possibly the mitt has been carefully taken care of by the man until he has succeeded in breaking it in just right. Then along comes some individual who picks it up and carries it off without realizing what it means to the player from whom he has stolen it.

Lajoie has been made the victim of this trick several times. Last year Tuck Turner lost two of his favorite bats, taken from in front of the bench despite the vigilant lookout of Heinie Wechler, Cleveland mascot. A short time after the white haired third baseman's glove was lifted from the hook in the very bench itself, causing Tuck to end of discomfiture and uncertainty in the handling of ground balls until he had broken in a new one.

The players are constantly on the watch for things of this kind and never fail to keep their eyes glued on their equipment whenever possible. But, despite this, things are stolen, and the men only can "now vengeance on the thieves and set to work breaking in new mitts or experimenting with new bats.

Manager Griffith has a Guess

Manager Griffith believes Carl Chaney and Joe Engel will help Walter Johnson and Bob Green to lead the Senators on top.



Photo by American Press Association. JOHNNY EVER.

BASEBALL HAS BECOME A COSMOPOLITAN GAME

ONE of the most interesting things about the national game in America today is its cosmopolitanism.

Starting from the sand lots and going on through the minors to the major leagues themselves, the same rule holds forth. And up at the top a more cosmopolitan array of players probably could never be found in any other one sport.

Only Englishmen play cricket, only Spaniards and Mexicans indulge in the bullfight, but everybody plays baseball in this country, be he black or white, fish, flesh, fowl or good red herring.

The development of the national pastime from boys of one nationality, if the game in embryo ever did consist entirely of youths of one nationality, also is worthy of note.

Probably the earliest steps in the evolution of the game consisted in gathering together a team from among the village boys to play teams from other villages. Gradually this custom spread to hiring athletes from other villages for the more important games and finally resulted in the game of diamond heroes of any nationality from all over the country.

Today the custom has spread to such an extent that a club which represents any big league city is a rarity if it happens to number among its ranks more than three players of the same nationality. It was early found, too, that good material for ball clubs could be found elsewhere than within the borders of the United States.

The avidity with which the Cubans took to the game and the skill with which they played it soon led American league scouts to hurry down to the island to see what they could gather in the way of big league players. Soon the dark skinned islanders began to figure in the box scores. A few years ago when it was announced that Aralaine, a Mexican, had been garnered by the Boston Red Sox crowds thronged the park to see the all-star play. Today, though, such names as Marras, Almeida and Acosta do not arouse curiosity. Their entry into big league ranks is no longer thought an innovation.

Early history of the national game reveals, too, the presence of American Indians among the lineups of various teams. The old Cleveland outfielder, Socacoxis, when he first began to wear the uniform of the Cleveland team, was regarded much in the same light as in a Bronx wild man in a circus. Today not much is thought of red skinned players, unless, as in the case of Thorpe, they have distinguished themselves in other fields.

Today there are just six American aborigines in the major leagues—Meyers, Thorpe, Bender, George Johnson, Zack Wheat and Ebner. Meyers and Thorpe are with the New York Giants, Bender is with the Philadelphia Ath-

letics, Johnson is a Chicago White Sox man, Wheat plays the outer garden for Brooklyn, and Sherry is a recruit pitcher at Washington.

The tribes to which each of these players' forefathers belonged were land rich in the early days, with their aggregate territory ranging from Maine to Florida, its holding Michigan to the Mississippi and beyond in the west. Yet today some of the descendants of these

tribes are earning their salaries in baseball.

If all goes to show the funny quirk fate gives to the destinies of man, Indians, Cubans, Mexicans, Irishmen, Frenchmen, Germans and fifty other nationalities thrown together in one melting pot, the major leagues, to say the least, cosmopolitan still, but bound together by a common knowledge of a wonderful game and giving of their best to entertain the followers thereof.



Photo by American Press Association. "BIG CHIEF" BENDER.

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Boxing Circuit Is Formed

A LEAGUE to be known as the Northwestern Boxing circuit and composed at present of clubs in the cities of Bend-Su-Lee, Madison, Hastings, Milwaukee, Kanesha and Superior, Wis.; Hammond, Ind.; Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids, Mich., has been formed.

SPORTING

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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.
At Chicago, 5; Pittsburgh, 8.
At New York, 2; Brooklyn, 3.
Other games postponed.

American League.
Cleveland, 4; Detroit, 5.
At Boston, 3; New York, 1.
At St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 1.
Other games postponed.

American Association.
At Minneapolis, 5; Columbus, 8.
At Kansas City, 5; Toledo, 3.
At St. Paul, 5; Indianapolis, 1.
At Milwaukee, 2; Louisville, 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Almost Shut Out.

St. Louis, April 15.—Wellman pitched fine ball for St. Louis yesterday, shutting out Chicago up to the ninth inning when he weakened but managed to retire Chicago with one run. White pitched excellent ball for Chicago, the locals securing only five hits off his delivery up to the eighth inning, when he retired to allow Walsh to bat for him. The score:
St. Louis, 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 5 2
St. Louis 0 0 2 0 0 0 2—2 8 0
Batteries: Caldwell and Sweeney, Wood and Nunemaker.

Boston Takes One.

Boston, April 15.—Boston won from New York 2 to 1, Monday. Daniels led off with a single, stole second and crossed the plate on two outs. The Red Sox had several opportunities to score but sharp fielding and good pitching prevented this until the eighth inning. Then Wood doubled and went to third on an out at first. Yerkes fouled to Sweeney and Speaker was purposely thrown out. Sweeney drove a double to right field, sending in two runs. The score:
New York 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 4 1
Boston 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2 8 0
Batteries: Caldwell and Sweeney, Wood and Nunemaker.

PLAYERS REPORT TO SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, O., April 14.—Manager Joe Stanley, of the Springfield Central league team, is rapidly getting his team assembled. Five more reported yesterday afternoon: Catcher Snyder, Pitcher Kaiserling, Infielder Brontigan, Outfielder Stewart, Pitcher Taggart and Infielder Drake. Taggart is a giant in size and has had two years of semi-professional ball experience. He is a right-hander and is said to be able to deliver a fast ball.

CY WON GAME BUT LOST JOB

Cy Falkenberg, former Mud Hen, but now a comeback Nap, was with the Pittsburgh Pirates once for 20 or 30 minutes. He says he lost his job because he won a game. "I pitched against the Phillies," said Cy. "I gave eight bases, but the gents in the back, threw the ball away a couple of times and handed out eight or ten hits, but Pittsburgh won that game, six to four."
"Really, Hans Wagner won it. That Dutchman showed that day how to cut men off the bases and how to perform various prodigies in particular he gave his demonstration of how to throw a ball before you have it. No other ball player has ever accomplished this feat."
"But anyway I go and it is immediately after this brilliant victory that they separated me from the Pittsburgh day roll. At the time I couldn't understand it, but I have learned."

"A Home Run Hit" AMSTERDAM COOKIES.

At your grocer's.

RICH RACING STAKE TO BE DECIDED AT KALAMAZOO.

Chicago, April 15.—Stewards of the Grand Circuit have decided that the \$15,000 Horseman Futurity, one of the richest stakes of harness racing, shall be decided during the meeting at Kalamazoo, Mich., August 4 to 9 inclusive.

Among the horses eligible to the main division of the race this year are Magowan 2 10 1/2; Peter the Gay 2 10 1/2; and Lord Allen 2 11. The three fastest two-year-old trotters of 1912. In the two-year-old trotting division the record yearlings eligible for the stake include Air-dale 2 15 1/2, generally considered the world's champion yearling trotter, Peter Volo, 2 19, and Heister C, 2 19 1/2; the fast yearling trotting filly of last year. The stake closed in 1910 and first money in the main division will be \$7,500.

COBB MAY SIGN WITH AUTOMOBILE CONCERN

Chicago, April 15.—"T" Cobb, champion batsman of the American league may become a resident of Chicago if he fails to come to terms with the management of the Detroit club, according to a telegram sent by him from Augusta, Ga., today. Cobb replying to an offer of \$15,000 a year and an automobile to act as Chicago agent for an automobile supply company of Logansport, Ind., said that he was still negotiating with President Navin of Detroit but would give a definite answer to the business proposition, within ten days.
The concern which seeks Cobb's services recently weaned Vincent Campbell, a Boston outfielder from baseball and placed him in charge of its St. Louis branch.

BOXING BOUTS THIS WEEK.

April 15.—Bud Anderson vs. Knockout Brown, 20 rounds, at Los Angeles, Calif.
April 15.—Jack Britton vs. Matt Baldwin, 10 rounds, at New York City.
April 16.—Luther McCarty vs. Jim Flynn, 8 rounds, at Philadelphia.
April 16.—Jim Savage vs. Tim Logan, 6 rounds, at Philadelphia.
April 17.—Jack Dillon vs. Barney Williams, 10 rounds, at Rochester, N. Y.
April 17.—Ray Bronson vs. Hilliard Lang, 10 rounds, at Indianapolis.
April 18.—Battling Nelson vs. Ray Wood, 12 rounds, at New Bedford, Mass.
April 19.—Ad Wolgast vs. Tommy Murphy, 20 rounds, at San Francisco.

FEDERAL LEAGUE READY TO BEGIN

Indianapolis, Ind., April 15.—Magnates of the new Federal league met yesterday to settle the playing schedule, appoint umpires draw up rules and complete all details for the opening of the season on May 6.

All the club owners arrived in time for the start of the meeting, except William T. McCullough, Pittsburgh, who was delayed by irregular train service.
Covington is Ready.
Samuel D. Louis, the new backer of the Covington club, made his first appearance in the councils of the league today. He said everything at Covington was ready for the first game. The park is to be located at the Covington end of the bridge and only eight minutes from

the business center of Cincinnati. All of the owners talked optimistically of the future of the league.

WHOLE WORLD SEEMS WRONG

Since the Sly Cigarette Cannot be Had to Cheer Her Up.

CLARA GIBERSON MUST GO SMOKELESS

Until the Law Releases Her From Punishment as White Slave.

On the second day of her incarceration in the county jail, Clara Giberson, convicted of contributing to the negligence of 15 year old Margaret Meyer, was in a rather hostile mood, refusing to receive any visitors and responding rather vehemently to all attempts of prison attendants to communicate with her.
Clara is peeved because her physician, Dr. Mumaugh, says that it is perfectly possible that she can do without her cigarette and still live. Clara is positive she is going to perish and to that end spends the major portion of her time sobbing out imprecations on the heads of the hard-hearted county officials who have deprived her of her only solace.

Following her claim that cigarettes were necessary to her constitution and the declaration that her physician had prescribed them for her, Dr. Mumaugh was called in. He denied ever having prescribed tobacco, and so Clara spends the long day mourning over the perversity of man.

All Peaceable Again.
Amicable settlement of the divorce suit brought against Ralph L. Kohn by his wife, Cleonice G. Kohn, having been made outside of court, proceedings were this afternoon dismissed and record of the suit ordered stricken from the records. Settlement was made, it is said, because both Kohn and his wife were unwilling to trust the fate of their children to an uncertain world. The Kohns have 11 children.

Suit in Partition.
Claiming that as a son of one of the heirs, he has a legal right to participate in the estate of Frederick Kundert, who died at Delphos, Mar. 10, 1911, Charles E. Lindeman yesterday filed a suit in partition. The estate, which is valued at about \$15,000, consists in property in and around Delphos.

Marriage License.
License to marry Miss Josephine Newman of Beaver Dam, was issued Grover Wagner, a bartender, of Tiffin, yesterday, by the probate court.

Trick Retaliation.
Alleging that he was the victim rather than the transgressor in the assault brought to the attention of the police yesterday by Fred Clark, Jesse Erick following his arrest this afternoon swore out a warrant for the arrest of Clark charging him with cutting with intent to kill.
Erick was brought to the station by Officer Roberts and displayed several scratches on his arms and sides which he said had been in-

flicted by Clark with a corn cutter. According to the story told the police by Erick, he had gone to the building to assist a young woman in removing a few of her effects when he was attacked by Clark who ordered him from the house. The fight followed. Erick says Clark dragged him into a room and, throwing him across a bed proceeded to carve him with the corn cutter.
Erick is being held at the police station and police are looking for Clark.

Earnst Denies It.
Going back into the records of police court proceedings in the year 1911 and bringing forth a report made by him to Chief of Police Vermillion, Chief S. A. Earnst denies that any time did he directly or indirectly place Margaret Meyer in the custody of Clara Giberson.

The report shows that Chief of Police Earnst, at that time captain of the force, reported to the acting chief that the woman was harboring a girl under age and suggested that action be taken.

Deny Horse Theft.
Coming to police headquarters on their own initiative when they suspected they were being looked for by the police on a charge of horse stealing, William Hopkins, 18, of Paulding, and Walter Morris, 15, son of Ella Morris, 127 east Vine street, denied any knowledge of the disappearance of the horse which is said to have been stolen Saturday night.

Both Hopkins and Morris admit leaving Paulding Saturday night, claiming they walked from that place to Van Wert where they took an interurban car for Lima. While the description of the two youths answered that given the police, they were released by Chief Earnst.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

PIRATES DEFEAT CUBS.

Chicago, April 15.—Pittsburgh, Monday defeated Chicago 8 to 5. The visitors batted all three of Chicago's pitchers all over the field, Carey, Hofman and Vois making three hits each. Pittsburgh scoring heavily, was helped by the wildness of Richie and Toney and ragged fielding by their team mates. Pitcher Robison weakened toward the end of the game and gave way to Camnitz, who had little difficulty in checking the rally of the locals.
The score:
Pittsburgh 2 2 0 1 1 2 0 0—3 15 1
Chicago 0 0 1 0 0 1 3 0 0—5 10 2

DODGERS DEFEAT GIANTS.

New York, April 15.—The Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the New York Giants here Monday in the first game of a three-game series by a score of 3 to 2. It was a well-played, interesting game, featured by splendid pitching by Ames and Allen. After Brooklyn scored a run in the first half of the eighth on an error by Merkle, the Brooklyn pitcher weakened slightly in the sec-

THE IDLER.

Christian N. Staister, a well-to-do farmer living in German township, near Elida, is critically ill, suffering from a complication of diseases. His absent sons, Timothy of Bluffton, Ind., and Samuel of Denver, Col., have been summoned to his bedside. His sister, Mrs. Mary Allen has already arrived here from Huntington, Ind. Mrs. W. H. Tompkins of Lima, a niece, spent Sunday at the Staister home.

MASS FOR THE DEAD, THURSDAY MORNING

Body of Mrs. Michael Walsh to Rest Finally at Gethsemani Following Funeral.

All that is mortal of Mrs. Michael Walsh, who passed from life at her home, 418 north West street, Sunday afternoon, will be laid to rest Thursday, following services held Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock at St. Rose Catholic church. Rev. Father A. E. Manning will chant the requiem mass.
The body will be laid to rest at Gethsemani.

RETAIL MERCHANTS BUREAU.

The meeting of the retail merchants' bureau of the Lima Progressive association will be held at the office of the Association this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

THE IDLER.

Considerable interest is manifested in the concert, to be given by the Orion Mannerchor, a local singing society, at Memorial hall, during the month of June. Leading solo artists will be imported to have a part in the program. The executive committee has the arrangements in charge. Henry Frueh is director and the society includes among its members, some of Lima's best talent.

MASONIC NOTICE.

A special convocation of Shawnee Commandery will be held Tuesday evening, April 15th, 1913, at 7 o'clock.
The order of the Temple will be conferred in Ancient Templar uniforms.
DAVID E. BAXTER, JR., E. C.

Certificate \$1.50 Nottingham Lace Curtains..... 98c	Certificate 25c Good House Broom..... 15c (Basement)	Certificate 45c Worth Lenox Soap for..... 24c (Basement)	Certificate \$1.50 Crepe Kimonos..... 97c
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\$1.50 Nottingham Lace Curtains, plain and fancy centers, with heavy floral design, borders made of good double Nottingham lace, with over-stitched scalloped, 50 inches wide and 3 yards long. Wednesday with Certificate, 98c.

25c good House Broom, five sewed, made from this year's broom corn and ash handle, extra heavy wired and will sweep clean, full size broom. Wednesday with Certificate, 15c.

Nine full size bars genuine Lenox soap, best for laundry use, the standard laundry Soap; the best value that money can buy, lasts longer than any other laundry soap. Wednesday with Certificate, nine bars for 24c.

\$1.50 ladies' handsome Japanese Crepe Kimonos, empire style; colors, tan, rose, pink, blue and gray. Satin trimmed. Wednesday with Certificate, 97c.

Wednesday Certificate Day

Certificate \$1.50 Ladies' Nirris Corsets..... 98c	Certificate \$1.50 Ladies' New Spring Waists..... 96c	Certificate \$1.39 Ladies' Muslin Petticoats..... 89c	Certificate 98c Long Silk Gloves..... 69c
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\$1.50 Nirris Corsets, long hip style, with four good hose supporters, can't rust stays, trimmed with heavy lace at top, just to advertise this Corset in Lima, will place on sale Wednesday with Certificate, 98c.

\$1.50 ladies' new Spring Waists, latest 1913 patterns, made of good quality voile and lawn; trimmed with lace and embroidery. High or low neck, long and short sleeves. Wednesday with Certificate, 96c.

\$1.39 ladies' new muslin Petticoats, made of best grade cambric muslin, trimmed with embroidery, 12-inch flounce, 6 1/2 inch under ruffle, elegant patterns to select from. Wednesday with Certificate, 89c.

98c ladies' long 16-button style Silk Gloves, double up fingers, made of the best grade pure silk; sizes 6 to 9, every pair guaranteed first quality. Wednesday with Certificate, 69c.

Certificate 39c Ladies' Muslin Drawers..... 23c	The Leader ALWAYS IN THE LEAD		
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39c Ladies' Muslin Drawers, made of good grade muslin, trimmed with heavy lace edging, full cut style, in all sizes, and made to fit. Wednesday with Certificate, 23c.

Certificate 75c New Ruffle Curtains..... 47c	Certificate \$1.50 Black Sateen Skirts..... 94c	Certificate 12 1/2c Ladies' Black Hose..... 6c	Certificate 25c Boys' New Spring Caps..... 14c
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75c new ruffle Curtains, made of best grade curtain fabric, four inch ruffle, five neat tucks on border, 36 inches wide and two yards and a half long. Nice for bed rooms or dining room curtains. Wednesday with Certificate, 47c.

\$1.50 black mercerized Petticoats, made of good grade rustling mercerized fabric; with 13-inch corded flounce and a six-inch ruffle; made with extension waist band. Wednesday with Certificate, 94c.

12 1/2c ladies' Black Hose, lisle finish, double heel and toe, extra long style; with garter top, guaranteed fast colors; all sizes. Wednesday with Certificate, 6c.

25c boys' new Spring Style Caps, in light and dark colors, of mixed cheviot goods; all sizes, in 20 or 30 different patterns, made with good strong fiber. Wednesday with Certificate, 14c.

Certificate \$3.50 to \$6.00 Values in Ladies' New Spring Hats..... \$2.97	Certificate \$2.25 Ladies' High Shoes..... \$1.37
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Extra special for this Wednesday's Certificate day. We will give you your choice of 100 Ladies' new Spring and Summer trimmed Hats. Made of straw, pressed shapes; others of hair braids and such beautiful array of trimmings that makes these Hats more attractive than any others we have seen. A Hat to please every woman. Come and save Wednesday with Certificate, \$2.97.

\$2.25 Ladies' High Button or Lace Shoes. Vic Kid with patent tip; up-to-date toes and stylish lasts. Good for dress or every day wear. A perfect fit guaranteed. In our Shoe department is where we save you money on every pair of Shoes needed in your family. This one is an example of money saved by buying your Shoes at the Leader Shoe Department. Wednesday with Certificate, \$1.37.

Certificate 75c Children's New Hats..... 47c	Certificate 12 1/2c New Dress Percales..... 8 1/2c	Certificate 15c White Dress Goods..... 5c	Certificate 39c Ladies' Corset Covers..... 14c
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75c Children's New Spring Hats, just received. Burnt and plain straw, trimmed with light blue and pink ribbon, made of imported China braid, the greatest value ever offered. Wednesday with Certificate, 47c.

12 1/2c new Percales, in gray, blue, black and light colors, new 1913 styles every piece a yard wide, guaranteed fast color, extra heavy quality and every yard perfect. Wednesday with Certificate, 8 1/2c.

15c White Dress Goods, with bars and stripes, just the goods you want for waists or children's dresses, every yard worth 15c. These goods were bought from the manufacturer on account of being slightly soiled. Wednesday with Certificate, 5c.

39c ladies' new Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed; made of good quality muslin; trimmed with best of lace and embroidery with ribbon draw string at top; all sizes, 34 to 42. Wednesday with Certificate, 14c.

Vice President and Three Cabinet Members See Baseball Season Open in Washington



Washington, April 14.—Three have so far been found among the members of President Wilson's cabinet, to say nothing of Vice President Marshall. They are Secretary of War Garrison, who hails from New Jersey, which has two of the international, but none of the big leagues; Secretary of

War Daniels, who hails from North Carolina, where the fans must be content with minor league baseball, and Attorney-General McReynolds, who has probably seen many a big league game since he moved from Kentucky to New York.

Vice-President Marshall, whose duties as presiding officer of the senate are not arduous, will likely be seen at many games during the season. Senator Culberson, of Texas, has seen the Giants of New York train in Marlin in his state.

All these officials were on hand when the Senators of Washington and the Yankees of New York opened the season at the national capital.

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OUT OF GRATITUDE FOR HIS RELEASE

IS NOW LABORING VALIANTLY
FOR HIS MANLY.

CHANDLERVILLE MAN IN PUB-
LIC LETTER TELLS OF HIS
TERRIBLE EXPERIENCES
AND TIMELY RESCUE.

The greatest service one can do
another is to relieve him when suffer-
ing physical pain, second to this
is to go on foot and out of one's
way to direct a fellow sufferer to
the place where relief may be had.
Recently there came a man in dire
distress to the offices of the United
Doctors, those eminent medical
specialists who have their Lima head-
quarters in the Cincinnati block, over
Ellerman's, he was placed under
treatment and was healed in a short
time. So grateful was he that he
wrote the doctors a letter endeavor-
ing to express his indebtedness for his
release from the bondage of disease,
his heart still filled with gladness he
goes out into the highways and the
byways seeking whom he might put
on the road to regain their health,
certainly noble impulses actuate
this man who in the following let-
ter tells of his rescue from a living
death.

"Chandlerville, O., Dec. 24, 1912.
"The United Doctors—

I have been a sufferer from
stomach trouble for the past two or
three years, was in constant pain, I
consulted five or six of the best
physicians, took much patent medi-
cine and cure all spent hundreds
of dollars without one bit of bene-
fit or relief. My life was one long
day of torture, disease had me firmly
in its relentless clutches and was
slowly but surely dragging me down.
I consulted you about four weeks
ago, having heard much and read
more of the wonderful cures you
were doing, it was my last chance
and I took it. Being assured by the
specialist in charge of the Lima of-
fice that my case was curable. Now
after but one month's treatment I
am feeling better than has been my
luck in all these terrible years of
suffering. Have gained eight
pounds in weight, sleep well and eat
anything and everything.

"I wish to thank you gentlemen
for what you have done for me at a
small cost and cheerfully recom-
mend you to all chronic sufferers.
"Respectfully,

(Signed) "EMMETT SMITH"

There is a whole sermon in the
above letter, and this gentleman
has been the means of several find-
ing the same relief that he has ex-
perienced at the hands of the
United Doctors.

These specialists are doing a
noble work and invite all those who
are ailing, no matter from what
cause or disease to call at their
Lima office for free examination and
consultation. Go today so that you
may soon join the fast increasing
band of cured and satisfied patients.

ALL RECORDS WERE BROKEN

Streams in All Parts of the
State of Ohio Were at
Maximum.

STATEMENT MADE
BY METEOROLOGIST

Give Facts Concerning the
Late Inundation of
This State.

Practically every stream in Ohio
was reported higher during the re-
cent flood than at any previous
stage in its history, according to
the official post-mortem of the flood
published in a special report by J.
Warren Smith, professor of meteor-
ology.

The United States weather bureau
announces that it will publish an
even more complete report of Ohio
flood conditions in the forthcoming
issue of the Monthly Weather Re-
view, but the emergency bulletin
is fairly complete.

Maximum Region.
A map published shows that be-
tween March 2 and 25 the heaviest
rainfall, more than ten inches, fell
in a narrow district extending over
parts of Wayne, Ashland, Richland,
Crawford, Wyandot, Marion and Logan
counties. From eight to ten
inches fell in a much larger district,
surrounding this and extending
entirely across the state from Trum-
bull to Butler counties, and passing
about 40 miles north of Columbus.
In the central and southwestern
Ohio section, of which Columbus is
the center, the rainfall ranged from
six to eight inches with a total of
seven inches in Columbus. The
southeastern section of the state,
where the damage was heavy, re-
ceived the lightest rainfall, but
they caught the accumulated flood
waters of hundreds of small streams,
Zanesville and Marietta had a much
smaller precipitation than Colum-
bus, while Dayton and Hamilton had
a slightly larger fall.

The table showing the comparison
between 1912 stages in the various
rivers with highest previous stages,
is interesting. At Columbus all pre-
vious records were broken by 1.6
feet, while at Delaware the river
was 15 feet higher than it had ever
been before. The same was true at
Zanesville and McConnelsville.

Miami Broke Records.
The Great Miami, which wrought
destruction at Lima, Dayton and
Hamilton, broke all previous re-
cords. Dayton a previous high water
mark was made in 1866, the report

shows, but this was exceeded by 7.1
feet this year.
Previous records of the Sandusky
river, which caused the destruction
at Upper Sandusky, Tiffin and Fre-
mont, had been made in April of
1904. This year this record-break-
ing stage was exceeded by from five
to seven feet.
The record stages in the Scioto
showed the least increase at Colum-
bus. In March, 1908, the river
here reached a stage of 21.7 feet,
and the highest of old stage at-
tained during the recent flood was
22.9 feet. At Chillicothe previous
Scioto records were exceeded by
nearly ten feet and at other points
it was much greater than here. This
is probably explained by the fact
that in Columbus the water spread
over the west side.

'ALL ON BOARD WELL'
SAYS GLAD MESSAGE

Bishop Schrembs and His Party
Safely Reach the Mainland on
Their Trip Abroad.

A cablegram received in America
yesterday states that the Toledo and
northwestern Ohio party of mis-
sions in charge of Bishop Joseph
Schrembs, has safely reached Ma-
deria, Portugal, by way of the
Cunard liner Ivernia. The message
also states that "all on board are
well."

The next stop will be at Gibralt-
ar. Rev. Father Aug. J. Schwartz-
ner, of St. John's Catholic church,
and Dr. R. J. Kinnane of Port Clin-
ton, a priest whose home is in Lima,
are among the party.

Their health building properties
warrant your ordering Florida
Crackers from your grocer today.

Basket Ball

San Felipe vs Bluffton Auditor-
ium, Tuesday, April 15th 8-21

"AT AN AFTERNOON CALL,"
said a popular society woman, "the
subject of woman's health was un-
der discussion, and to my amaz-
ment three out of four women in
the room, who had happened to call
at the same time, had found health
in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound."

Thousands of women in America
owe their health and happiness to
the marvelous power of this famous
medicine, which is made from roots
and herbs, nature's remedy for wo-
man's ills.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS OF OHIO

All members of Branch 23, Cath-
olic Knights of Ohio are requested
to meet at St. Rose auditorium this
evening to arrange for the funeral
services of Frank L. Schwarz, de-
ceased.

E. J. VEASY President

DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLUB

Will meet with Mrs. Glen Wallace,
215 South Baxter street Friday af-
ternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. All mem-
bers are requested to be present.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

NORVAL WORK IS PUSHED

Contracts Made Last Night
for a Great Part of
the Work.

WORK HAS BEGUN
IN REMODELING

Management Hopes to Open
Remodeled Lower Floor
in Early June.

The work on the remodeling of
the Hotel Norval, as it was planned
at the time that the new owners
took over the lease has been begun
in earnest. The tearing out of the
stairways in the rear part of the
building has been begun, and is
well advanced at the present time.
These rooms will all be turned into
the main hotel. It is the hope of
those in charge of the remodeling
work that the main or lower floor,
that part to which the general pub-
lic is freely admitted will be com-
pleted by the fore part of the sum-
mer, the time now set being June
first. It is further expected that the
proprietors to be ready to open their
remodeled upper stories to the ac-
commodation of a much larger num-
ber of guests on and after the early
fall perhaps some time in Septem-
ber.

Yesterday afternoon five contracts
were let by the proprietors for the
carrying on of this work. The
general carpentering contract, as
well as some of the minor ones, had
been completed some little time ago.
Last evening the contracts for the
plumbing and heating work was
given to T. G. Scheid, that for the
structural iron work to the East
Iron and Machine Company, the bar-
room fixtures to the Brunswick
Balle Company for the sidewalk
canopy at the main street entrance
to the National Cornice Works, and
the changing of the main street
front of the lower floor to the Rub-
lin Miller Company.

THE IDLER.

Born—To Mr and Mrs J. A.
LeDuke, of 420 West Wayne street,
Friday, April 11, a little daughter.
Their little son, James Jr., aged
six years, who was severely injured
by falling beneath the wheels of a
heavy wagon crushing his right leg,
is convalescing nicely and will
be out soon.

GEORGIAN—4433 Gold Medal Flour only.
VERMONT.



G. E. BLUEM

Tuesday, April 15, 1913.

Weather—Warmer



A Three Days Sale of Hosiery Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Very Special Values in Men's and Women's Hose

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week have been set aside as
Special Hosiery Sale Days. A few very special numbers in men's and wom-
en's hose, of a reliable brand have been re-priced for this special event. All
very excellent qualities, and well worth your time to look them over, at these
lowered prices—

Women's Lisle Hose, seamless,
black and white only, regular 3 pairs
for \$1.00, for this sale, 25c pair.

Women's Silk Boot Hose, in black,
white and tan, garter top, double
sole and heel, regular 3 pairs for \$1,
for this sale, 25c pair.

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, black
only, double heel and sole, garter top,
regular 50c value, for this sale, 35c,
or 3 pairs for \$1.00.

Women's Silk Boot Hose, in black,
white and tan, garter top, double
heel and sole, regular 50c value, for
this sale, 35c or 3 pairs for \$1.00.

Women's All Silk Hose, pure
thread silk, garter top, high spliced,
heel, double sole, fine quality, med-
ium weight, regular \$1.50 quality, for
this sale, \$1.00 pair. Black only.

Men's Silk Hose, pure silk, in
black, navy, tan, grey and smoke,
garter top, double sole, regular 50c
value, for this sale, 35c or 3 pairs for
\$1.00.

Men's Silk Lisle Hose, double heel,
sole and toe, garter top, black only,
regular 50c value, for this sale, 35c or
3 pairs for \$1.00.

To Home Journal Pattern Users and Others

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 15, 16 and 17, we will
have with us Miss McClosky, who comes in the interest of Home Journal
patterns.

It is her earnest desire to meet all dressmakers, home-sewers and
persons who have never used patterns, and explain to them the use and
merits of Home Journal Patterns. You will find her at the Pattern
Counter.—(Main Store, south aisle)

Draperies and Curtains Ready

All the New Weaves and All Colors

Imported Swiss Net Curtains, ma-
creme edges on double net, a beauti-
fully dainty curtain in Arabian
shades.

Lace Curtains in Brussels Nets,
Marie Antoinette, Lacet, Battenburg
and other makes, all very beautiful
patterns, in ecru, white and Arabian
shades, at all prices from \$2.00 to
\$15.00 pair.

Nottingham Lace Curtains in many
new designs, all best quality in white,
ivory, ecru and Arabian, at 75c to
\$6.50 pair.

Bedroom Curtains in white and
colored Swisses, Etamines, Marquis-
ettes and Scrims, a wide range of
patterns, at 75c to \$7.50 pair.

Cretonnes in over 100 different

patterns, all colors, all the newest de-
signs, both imported and domestic
makes, 15c to 50c yard.

Imported Curtain Nets, in many
beautiful patterns, all exclusive de-
signs, come in ivory, white and Arab-
ian shades. All prices.

Domestic Yard Goods, come in
plain and fancy Nets, plain and fig-
ured Etamines; printed Voiles; white
and colored Swisses; Serims, etc., at
12 1/2c to \$1.50 yard.

Beautiful Drapery Fabrics in a
most extensive line of colors and pat-
terns, and in all wanted weaves—Silk
Reps, Ratines, Aurora Cloth, Silks,
Silkoline, Sunfast Draperies, etc., at
all prices, from 40c up.

Upholstery Goods in plain and em-
bossed Tapestries, in all colors.

Women's Suits, Coats and Dresses

For Spring—Hundreds of Models

The Style Will Be Correct If It Is a Bluem Garment

Likewise the quality and workmanship. We carry none but the best—
best in every respect. The wonder of the wide variety of models adds to the
fascination of this department. Here you can choose Suits, Coats or Dressea
of every fashionable kind and color. Materials include every new and want-
ed weave—a wide variety of serges, cponge, matelasse, Bedford cords, diag-
onal cloth, novelty suitings and cloakings, corded poplins, English checks, etc.

Suits for women, misses and juniors, all sizes, come in plain tailored cut-
away, Bulgarian and Russian blouse effects, variously priced from \$14.98 to
\$27.50 and up.

Coats in every size, and in charming new styles, at \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50,
\$14.98, \$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$27.50 to \$50.00.

Dresses of every kind—from the plain street and house dress to the most
elaborate evening costumes, at \$5.00 to \$65.00.



G. E. BLUEM



Coughs and Consumption
Coughs and colds, when neglected,
always lead to serious trouble of the
lungs. The wisest thing to do when
you have a cold that troubles you is
to get a bottle of Dr. King's New Dis-
covery. You will get rid of it from the
first dose, and finally the cough will
disappear. O. H. Brown, of Musca-
dine, Ala., writes: "My wife was
down in bed with an obstinate cough
and I honestly believe had it not
been for Dr. King's New Discovery
she would not be living today."
Known for forty-three years as the
best remedy for coughs and colds.
Price 50c and \$1.00. Recommended
by H. F. Vorkamp.

\$3.50 to \$5.00 Sample Shoes,
\$2.50 Wenger's Sample Shoe Store
Fourth Floor Metropolitan Bldg.

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Pains in the Stomach
If you continually complain of
pains in the stomach, your liver or
your kidneys are out of order.
Neglect may lead to dropsy, kidney

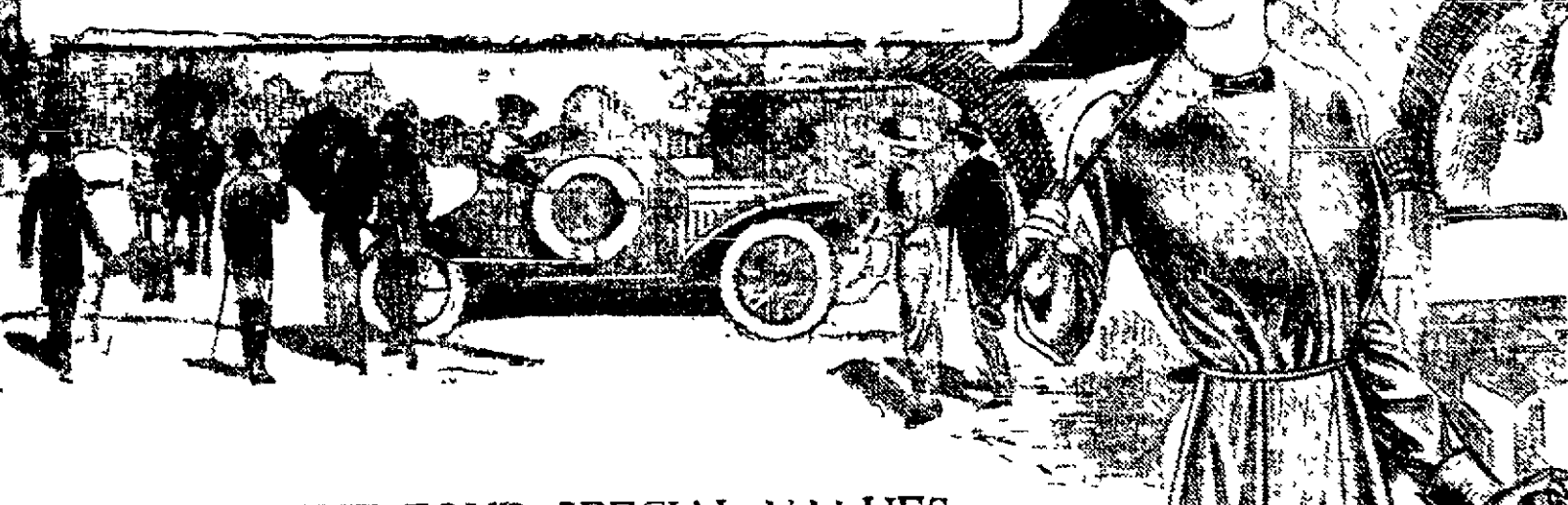
trouble, diabetes or Bright's disease.
Thousands recommend Electric Bit-
ters as the very best stomach and
kidney medicine made. H. J. Al-
ton, of Raleigh, N. C. who suffered
with pain in the stomach and back,
writes: "My kidneys were deranged
and my liver did not work right.
I suffered much, but Electric Bitters
was recommended and I improved
from the first dose. I now feel like
a new man. It will improve your
stomach, too. Only 50c and \$1.00. Re-
commended by H. F. Vorkamp."

GETTING OUT AN EXTRA
every time we are enabled to make a special offering of Foot-
wear isn't our way of doing business. But in this instance the
reduction is so large the quality so exceptional that a whole page
would not be too much to describe them.

THIS GREAT OFFERING OF FOOTWEAR
should be seen rather than read about. Come, look and wonder
why we don't charge regular prices for such merchandise.

CLAPPER & McKAY
142 South Main Street

Carter & Carroll



WE PRESENT FOUR SPECIAL VALUES

In Wearing Apparel for Women, Misses, Juniors and Children That
Command Your Careful Attention. Many Other Attractive Bar-
gains for This Week's Selling.

A Practical Tailored Suit
That Don't Cost Much
Women's \$19.75 leather, Cop-
enhagen, tan, navy, check and
striped Tailored Suits, of good
materials. Jacket, silk lined, lat-
est straight line skirt model, a
very slightly tailored suit.
ON SALE THIS WEEK, \$11.95

The Smartest Tailored Suit
of the Season
\$35.00 Women's Balkan Blouse
Model Suit, high class tailoring
and splendid material. Tan,
Copenhagen, navy, black and
white. Jacket with Bulgarian
embroidery collar and crystal
buttons. Skirt the latest draped
style.
ON SALE THIS WEEK, \$22.50

\$5.00 to \$7.50 Children's
Coats \$3.98
Children's \$5.00 and \$7.50 new
Spring Coats. Sizes 8, 10 and 12
year old. Colors, cream serge,
red and Thibet cloth, navy, steel
and novelty mixtures. All very
successful children's coat mod-
els.
ON SALE THIS WEEK, \$3.98

\$19.75 Misses' and Juniors'
Coats for \$14.95
The new Spring models in
misses' and juniors' Coats with
belted draped back in blue and
white, and navy serge, full silk
lined. Sizes, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 &
18 years old; worth \$19.75.
ON SALE THIS WEEK, \$14.95

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